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**For Assembly: Mr. Josiah Howard.**

Unless all signs fail Mr. Josiah Howard will on Tuesday next receive a good big majority of the votes of Cameron county for the office of Assemblyman. The Independent has been telling us that it knows no reason why Mr Howard should be elected. There are none so blind as those who will not see. There are several reasons, and very good ones too, why Mr. Howard should be elected. Of course we do not expect the organ of the Democratic party to see, or at least to acknowledge that it sees, the force of these reasons, but our appeal is not to the Independent, but to the intelligent and fair-minded voters of Cameron county.

In point of personal fitness and equipment Mr. Howard is admirably qualified for this and for even more important offices. He has had advantages, it is true, as the Independent has been at pains to point out, but he has improved his advantages as a great many similarly situated would not have done. No one who knows him will venture to say that he is lacking in those elements of independence and force and aspiration which we are accustomed to associate with the type of character known as self-made. He is no mere creature of circumstances, as the Independent would seem to have us infer, but a shaper of circumstances. It is true that he received a start from his father, and no one is more enthusiastic in bearing witness to that obligation than is Mr Josiah Howard himself; nevertheless the firm of C. B. Howard Company, since the death of its founder, has carried to successful termination many an undertaking that would haye taxed to their utmost the powers of C. B. Howard, and the credit of this honorable record of the past twelve years must not be withheld from the present head of the firm and his capable business associates.

Not only has Mr. Josiah Howard given abundant proof of the possession of business judgment and ability of a high order, but he has also shown himself to be a man of most marked and genuine public spirit. The Independent has insinuated that he is in in the county only for what he can get out of it, and that he will move elsewhere as soon as the lumber is all cut.

So, after sixteen or seventeen years, residence in the county, during all of which time he has identified himself heart and soul with the county, with its business interests, with its civic interests, with its educational, religious, moral and social interests, he is now to be branded as a sort of industrial tramp, a lodger for the night, as it were, and is declared undeserving of the only public honor that he has ever asked of the people of Cameron county!

Mr. Howard has been generous with his means in many ways that no one but himself knows, but his liberality with his money is after all a little thing compared with the fact that during all these years he has been giving himself to the things that make for the advancement and welfare of the county. Money, apart from personality, is nothing. Mr. Howard enjoys the good will and respect and hearty support of the people because of what he is and because of the spirit which he puts into his work and service, and not because he is possessed of a modest fortune. Yet the Independent has insinuated that those who recognize Mr. Howard's personal worth and service are mere cringers to wealth! Mr. Howard is a public spirited-man if ever there was one in Cameron county, and the votes which he will receive next Tuesday will each one be a sincere recognition of his personal worth and civic value.

We have repeatedly called attention to Mr Howard's political principles and to his full and forceful expression of them in his speech of acceptance, in his "Star" and in his open letter. In giving full expression to his political views, he has only shown himself mindful of the first duty which a candidate owes to the public, for it is the duty and the right of the public to know what a candidate's principles and opinions are. The mere fact that he has given these expressions of his views to the public has been annoying to his political opponents. The Independent has not been accustomed to waging a campaign of discussion, and it has been amusing to watch its futile efforts to offset the effect of Mr. Howard's speech and star and letter. The most that it is able to say is that Mr. Blumle stands for everything good that Mr. Howard stands for. Truly a summary way of providing a candidate with a platform! In Mr. Howard the county will have a Representative who can express his mind and who has a mind to express. He is a Republican, and knows why he is one, but he is not a narrow, bigoted partisan. When elected, he will be the Representative of the whole county.

The vast majority of the citizens of Cameron county prefer clean methods of campaigning to corrupt methods. To the intelligent and moral elements in the county Mr. Howard's clean, honorable and dignified campaign has made a strong appeal. Wholly aside from partisan considerations, he and his associate on the county ticket, Dr. Bardwell, will receive the hearty support of those who are disgusted with certain so-called "potent" methods.

In conclusion we repeat that Mr. Howard will creditably represent the best spirit and life and interest of the county at Harrisburg. His keen understanding, his well-stored mind, his gentlemanly address, his extensive experience with business and affairs, and his wide acquaintance with men in wide and narrow spheres, all mark him as a man who will be a credit to the county in the halls of legislation. We have not been claiming perfection or infallibility for him. We do not say that he is the only good and able man in the county, nor that he is the only man in the county who can successfully organize and execute great business undertakings. But we do say that he stands at the heart of all that is best in the moral, social and business life of the county, that he is truly representative of the best that is in the county; and for that reason the county will only be honoring itself in honoring him with the office of Assemblyman.

## Letters from the People.

All communications under this head must be accompanied by the writer's name. We will not be held responsible for any expression in this department.]—EDITOR.

### How Shall I Vote.

EDITOR PRESS:—

This question again confronts the voters of the county. Some of our our young men will cast their first ballot at this coming election, but whether it is a new voter, or otherwise, a choice must be made by each one. For which candidate for the Legislature shall I cast my ballot? What are the merits and qualifications of the two candidates who are seeking the office. Which of the two is not only the better qualified to serve, but, judging from what his past life, has meant and been for the good of the people in the county, the most likely to best serve the interests of the people if elected?

I do not desire to say anything against Mr. Blumle, as a man, but surely there is nothing in the record, if any there is, that he made during his two terms at Harrisburg, that will recommend his re-election to a third term as Representative from this county, and though he is better than the business in which he is engaged, the very nature of that business and all of the sin and misery that such a business is responsible for, must surely have an influence other than such as will inspire and encourage any effort to real good on the part of one whose time is devoted to, and living dependent on, such business. It is against reason to believe that such a man, however honest he may believe himself, has or can have truly at heart and be capable of working sincerely for, the best interests and welfare of the people.

Against this can be said for Mr. Howard that his very business, and the development of ability and capacity which its management has produced in him, is one of the best reasons why he should be favored with the support of the voters. A Representative is needed who has such experience and ability; otherwise he is of less worth and more harm that nobody at all. Then there is what the life of Mr. Howard has been in our town and county. The orginator of, or, always in the advance with any move that has for its purpose the promotion of the country's interests. A man of acknowledged ability and unblemished character, whose life conforms to a noble standard of manhood and strict business integrity; qualified in the highest sense to stand as the Representative of the people of the county; and, with justified faith in himself and an abiding faith in the people and their continued progress, in material lines and toward that standard of right living which produces and develops a noble-minded and patriotic citizenship, he merits and should receive the hearty support of our people at the polls next Tuesday.

MY FIRST VOTE.

Shippen Pa., Oct. 29, 1904.

Doctor Bardwell, is honest and capable. Vote for him for Treasurer.

### From a Laboring Man's Standpoint.

*Editor Press:—*

As this campaign proceeds it seems to me absurd for a thoughtful laboring man to vote the Democratic ticket. Why? There never was a time in the history of any country when prosperity was so prominent as in this grand old Republic to-day. Now fellow laborer do not allow your partisan politics to influence your best reason. You must concede that a Republican administration is responsible for these prosperous times.

Now, my fellow laborers, you will admit that you will vote for President Roosevelt, but some of you cannot vote for Mr. Josiah Howard for Representative. What inconsistency! This seems to me like a father killing his own child. Do you know that the only way you can assist President Roosevelt is in electing men to the legislature who will vote for a United States Senator who will work in harmony with the President's administration. I have read the controversy between the PRESS and Independent relative to this election and for the life of me I cannot refrain from making some comment on the Independent's drastic appeal in behalf of Mr. Blumle's election. Mr. Hockley's effort seems like the wail of one who is in personal danger of some great bodily or financial calamity. You ask why? Because it appeals to the revengeful spirit of the voter, and not to his intelligence. Their only argument is that Mr. Blumle was unseated in the last election. Had not Mr. Blumle conducted a questionable campaign there would never have been any room for a controversy in the premises. Not being a part or parcel to that unfortunate episode, I can speak with unbiased mind. In fact my sympathies were rather in Mr. Blumle's favor until I saw and heard his own *sworn* evidence during the investigation, and if any moral, intelligent voter in Cameron county can read that testimony and vote for Mr. Blumle, then I regret to say morality is declining. On page 126 of the official testimeny as reported to the House, I read one part of Mr. Blumle's *sworn* testimony:

"BY MR. SMITH: Q—I wish you to state to this Committee the fact as to your having sent liquors or intoxicants of any kind, or money to either Grove, Lumber, Gibson, Emporium Borough, or Shippen township for the election of 1902."

A—"I did not, Sir."

Q—"Mention these precincts in your answer." A—"I did not for election purposes, send any beer or money to Cameron, Sterling Run, Driftwood, Sinnamahoning, Sizerville, Howard Siding or other places,"

Is there a man, woman or child within the confines of Cameron county who endorses this testimony? No, they cannot.

The boastful claim that Mr. Blumle built all the churches, on the eve of an election, when personal interests are at stake, seems to me like the boasted Pharisee whom Christ condemned. Do you not know, brother laborer, that Mr. Howard gave more money to just one church than his opponent gave in all his life, and nothing is said about it by Mr. Howard or his friends. I personally know of one church, not of Mr. Howard's creed, to whom he gave more than Mr. Blumle ever gave to all the churches, and that church is located outside of Cameron county, where it could never possibly do him any good, politically or otherwise. Pray brother, which one goes down justified? It is not in our premises to question any man's actions, but when such things are done on the eve of every election, and that is about every year, for the past fifteen years, he leaves himself open to criticism, which any honest man should guard as he would his morality. Throw away the good-fellow business and be honest with yourself. Can you honestly and intelligently say that Mr. Howard is not better qualified to represent us at Harrisburg than Mr. Blumle? He is fortified in the first place by representing those grand principles taught by your ideal, that grand specimen of American manhood, Theodore Roosevelt, who has relieved you and me at every opportunity. Can you be so ungrateful as to condemn his policies by voting for one who is in direct opposition?

The only appeal of the Independent and Mr. Blumle's managers, is revenge, spite, vindication. "Vindication" on whom? On an innocent man, one who had no part in the unseating of Mr. Blumle. The responsibility rests with the court that tried the case and decided from the sworn testimony that Mr. Mullin was defrauded out of his election. Mr. Howard was not responsible for the contest or verdict.

Are you going to cast your ballot against an innocent man, one who has always given you work and paid you promptly and well just to suit the revengeful cry of one in the wilderness? Then if you do and vote from no other motive than "vindication," remember the words of Holy Writ, "Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord.' In the name of God, has the day come in Cameron county when we are going to be governed by "vindication," "hate," "spite" "selfishness." No! No! Never! I have more faith in the voters of this county. Rise brothers above such rot, such abominable appeal to your prejudices; it is inconsistent, for he who seeks revenge shall perish.

Vote for Mr. Howard, a candidate for the best interests of the county. He is not the candidate of "spite," "revenge" or "vindication."

By voting for Mr. Howard you will be best serving your own interests, your home and fireside, as well as the general good of your fellow man.

May God show you your duty.

LABORING MAN.

Emporium, Pa., Nov. 1st, 1904.

### What a Little Bird Says.

*Editor Press:—*

Alas, too late has the startling disclosure come that a vote for Roosevelt means a vote for Romanism, while a vote for Parker means a vote for Popery. We voters are already committed to one or the other of these candidates, and it is too late now to think of switching off. According to what a little bird is telling the people, President Roosevelt is fast handing the government over to Rome. The latest instance which might be cited is the recent appointment of Mr. Robert J, Wynne, a Roman Catholic, to the office of Postmaster-General. It is true that Mr. Wynne, with the President's strong backing, was the prime mover and agent in unearthing and prosecuting the frauds in the post office department, and that he has made himself a holy terror to the grafters; but all this must do for nothing against the dreadful fact that he is a Roman Catholic.

It will not do to imagine that anything is to be gained by substituting Parker for Roosevelt in the Presidency. Does the Independent know that its candidate for President is a "ritualistic, Romanizing High Church Episcopalian?" The little Swallow is authority for the information, and it must be so if that little bird says so.

It is really too bad we did not know these things several months ago, so that we all could have had an opportunity to make up our minds to vote for the little bird himself.

BURD O'FREDUM HATCHINOUT.

### A True Friend of Farmer and Laboring Man.

EDITOR CAMERON COUNTY PRESS:—

There is no greater friend of the working man than Mr. Josiah Howard. This is easily seen by the contentment of his employes. He is giving several hundred men employment, but there are no strikes, no labor troubles of any kind among his men. Take a trip up to the new mill and hear what the men will say in regard to their work and pay. The majority of them have worked for the C. B. Howard Co., many years, and will probably work many years more. The mill pay roll will average better than $2.25 per day to each man the year around. No body of workmen are better paid, or better used than the C. B. Howard Company's men. Mr. Howard is a candidate for Member of Assembly, on the Republican ticket. Nobody has the least doubt but what he is fully capable to represent the people, and that he has the grit and determination to do what he believes will benefit the masses, regardless of what others think. And there is no question but what the laboring man and farmer will be as well represented as the man of money. In view of these facts, and also the fact that Mr. Howard is a farmer himself, all workingmen and farmers should vote for Mr. Josiah Howard for Member of Assembly at the coming election.

A WORKMAN.

Emporium, Pa., Oct. 31, 1904.

### Protection for the Wage Earners.

*Editor Press:—*

Will the wage earners' hoe be bright as he tills the soil for the next four years, or will the farmers' plow rust for the want of use? Why should not the wolf be kept from the farmers' door, as well as from the door of the wage earners' home?

We are born equally free and independent, with the indefeasible right to enjoy the liberty that our forfathers

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## BOSS HOCKLEY'S LAST MOAN.

The editor of the Independent, Chairman of the Democratic County Machine, and County Commissioners' Clerk when it suits his pleasure, takes the citizens of Cameron county to be fools. After delaying his issue until last evening in order to spring one of his huge surprises, he attempts to create political capital out of the fact that the State of Pennsylvania is purchasing the waste lands, protecting the same from forest fires, as well as the lands of every property owner, and compelling the counties to pay one-half of the fire wardens' pay, may fool the class that follows the editor of the Independent, but thoughtful, sensible people only laugh at Hockley's desperation. His tirade is a base fabrication.

If the rest of his article is as untruthful as the statement in reference to the lands sold to the State by H. H. Mullin, the editor of the PRESS, not one word can be believed. His claims that we sold over "eighteen thousand acres" of land to the State is false, made up to suit his desperate case. We sold ONE WARRANT to the State, 990 acres, located in Grove. We never owned a foot of land in Gibson and never but 990 acres in Grove.

The records will show that three other gentlemen placed two warrants with us for sale, which was a business transaction. We are ready to wager votes with the editor of the Independent as to the truth of this statement. If we do not prove his statement false we will qualify to vote the entire Democratic ticket. On the other side, if the editor of the Independent does not substantiate his misrepresentations he must also qualify to vote the entire Republican ticket. Come now, put up or shut up. Your entire campaign has been one of base misrepresentation. Your statement that Mr. Howard will sell his lands to the State is in comparison with all your silly stuff. Mr. Howard continues to purchase all the lands he can secure, is improving the same and making good farms. He has never thought of selling his lands and repeatedly refused to sell.

The Democratic machine must be in a sad condition and hard up for campaign material to attempt to pass such stuff upon intelligent voters.

Why didn't Mr. Blumle vote against the bill allowing the State to buy worn out lands, the act of 1901, Mr. Hockley now wants repealed? Was it because Mr. Hockley forgot to tell him?

Mr. Howard, in his seventeen years life in our county, has always talked good-will to his neighbors and the possibilities of a bright future for our county, if we all pulled together on progressive development of our natural resources.

This is true Republican doctrine and is in much contrast to Professor Hockley's idea that the county is dying, or that Mr. Howard will sell his lands to the State.

The "Crime of 1903" passed through Emporium this (Friday) morning—for Rich Valley—two wagon loads—sky-scrapers—of beer for the unwary.

Laboring man, farmer, mechanic; remember that a vote for F. X. Blumle is a vote for a Free Trade United States Senator, a vote to place this now prosperous country on a level with the pauper labor of Europe. If you be an intelligent man you know this. Do you dare risk it? A vote for Josiah Howard means a vote for the re-election of United States Senator Knox, the champion of protection to American industries. Vote for your homes and hresides—vote for Mr. Josiah Howard; vote to protect your little ones, your very existence. Be men, not Socialists; be true Americans.

WEATHER REPORT
(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)
FRIDAY, Rain.
SATURDAY, Rian.
SUNDAY, Fair.

The man in the wilderness said to me,
How many will Cumming's majority be?
I answered him as I thought good,
As many red herrings as grow in the wood.

### For County Treasurer Dr. E. O. Bardwell.

The voters of the county need to exercise the greatest care in the choice of a man to fill so important an office as that of County Treasurer. The office demands business intelligence and experience, firmness and indpendence of character, and an integrity that is above reproach and suspicion. That Dr. Bardwell is eminently well qualified in every particular to be entrusted with the care of the public funds of the county, no one has ventured to deny. He is recognized as a gentleman of more than ordinary intelligence and education and has had considerable experience with public affairs, though never holding a remunerative office. The County Treasurer must be a man who can be thoroughly trusted. No system of checks can be devised that will automatically prevent a dishonest official from robbing the people. The only preventive of public dishonesty is to put in office men who can be trusted. Dr. Bardwell is a man whose honesty and integrity cannot be questioned. But something more than mere honesty of motive is necessary; one must possess known firmness and independence of character, so that he will not be the tool or creature of other wills than his own. Every one who knows Dr. Bardwell, knows that he is a man of marked firmness and independence of character.

Dr. Bardwell has the necessary intelligence and business experience, he is honest, he is firm and independent and is moreover always gentlemanly and affable towards all. He is eminently fitted for the office, he deserves it, and he will be elected.

The Independent last week used language calculated to incite ignorant and corrupt voters to accept bribes.

### An Eleventh Hour Spasm.

Judge Parker is showing that there are a few tricks in practical politics that he has not forgotten. Seeing that he is beaten he is resorting to the time honored cry of "fraud and corruption." He has awakened to the belief that it is a great scandal that Mr. Cortelyou, formerly private secretary to the President and later Secretary of Commerce and Labor, should be in charge of the Republican campaign. In this ridiculous cry Mr. Parker is backed up by the Times and Evening Post of New York and by the Public Ledger of Philadelphia. And yet when Mr. Cortelyou was selected as Chairman of the Republican National Committee, these journals hailed the choice as an indication that the campaign would be conducted on a high plane. The scandal, if there be one, was just as great and just as evident at the time when Mr. Cortelyou became National Chairman as it is now, but these wise journals were aware of no scandal then. It is true that the Times tried to fasten some charges upon Mr. Cortelyou a few weeks ago, but it failed ignominiously to produce any proof, and was denounced by the Outlook for bearing "false witness." Those who have read Judge Parker's Madison Square address must have noticed that he dealt only in vague charges and brought forward not one scintilla of specific evidence. Mr. Parker parted for a moment from his "dignity" and from his "judicial temper."

### Public Health Subordinate to Private Business.

One of the most important laws passed by the last Legislature is the Pure Food Law, known as Number 254, Laws of Pennsylvania, page 324, and which appears in the Legislative Record as House Bill Number 542. This law provides that any person making or offering for sale any article of food containing formaline, formaldehyde, sodium, fluoride, boracic acid, metallic-copper, etc., shall be subject to fine and imprisonment. These poisons are used for the adulteration of food stuffs, beers, etc.

This bill protects the life and health of every man, woman and child in this Commonwealth, and that it was not a party measure is evident from the fact that Mr. Creasy, the Democratic leader in the House, and nearly very other Democrat in the House, voted for the bill. The House Journal shows that Mr. Blumle was present on the day when the bill was finally passed in the House; but he is recorded in the Record as "absent and not voting." He therefore "dodged" the bill, for reasons obvious to every one.

If any office in the county needs to be in the hands of an intelligent and honest man it is the office of County Treasurer. The voters will make no mistake in voting for Dr. Bardwell.

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Chairman George B. Cortelyou, of the Republican National Campaign committee, is an intense devotee of physical culture and a great lover of outdoor sport. He was an experienced huntsman at the age of 12.

The sultan of Johore has been creating a sensation in London, riding in a motor car glorified with gorgeous crests and coats of arms. He has a wonderful set of teeth—all his own—each of the front ones having a diamond set in it, encircled with gold.

A strong public sentiment is being aroused in England against what is called the motor-car peril. Every day the newspapers print letters describing accidents and calling attention in emphatic terms to the encroachment upon the rights of the public by motor car and motor cycle owners and drivers.

Although more than 70,632,000 cubic feet of black walnut were received at Hamburg in 1903, the supply of this variety of American lumber does not equal the increasing demand. Virginia whitewood, pitch pine and cedar find ready markets at good prices. The cedar that is most in demand is that which maye be used in the manufacture of artistic furniture and lead pencil.

Out of 10,000,000 voters in France there are from 7,000,000 to 8,000,000 who are capitalists and owners of interest-bearing stock, landed proprietors, holders of Parisian bonds, credit foncier bonds, railroad bonds, national bonds—members of co-operative bodies, people who put by for the rainy day small sums in the banks, that serve to assure life or insure against death.

A leading French commercial paper says that, according to the leading silk association in Milan, Italy has 1,065 spinning mills, with 58,748 basins or tubs. Of these tubs 2,642 are idle. There are 364 twisting shops, with 705,262 spindles in operation and 49,050 idle. There are 165 weaving shops, with 9,703 hand looms, of which 159 are idle, and 7,459 automatic looms, of which 5 are idle.

An enterprising milkman in Essex, Eng., has hit upon a novel way of attracting attention. He and his assistants, armed with a milking stool, make the round of a popular neighborhood driving before them a herd of five or six cows. Arriving at a convenient spot, they commence milking the cows, and sell the liquid straight to the amused and interested crowd which always gathers around them.

Electricity is extensively used for agricultural purposes in the department of Aisne, France. The current from a large station is sent over a high-tension line to 16 substations. There are nearly forty electric threshers and 25 root cutters, besides different apparata for dairy use, pumps, flour mills, etc. Current is also used for lighting and for electric heaters. The large proprietors own the motors which they use.

The best timekeeper in the world is said to be the electric clock in the basement of the Berlin observatory, which was installed by Prof. Foerster in 1865. It is inclosed in an air-tight glass cylinder and has frequently run for periods of two or three months with an average daily deviation of only fifteen one-thousandths of a second. Astronomers are making efforts to improve even this.

All that experience and all that the cunning of the naval architect can suggest will be combined in Commander Peary's new ship, that he is having built in Maine for his final effort to reach the North Pole. Fashioned of unusual strength and girded and armored as was never Arctic craft before, it is Commander Peary's belief that he may be able to force his way through the interfering ice until he has carried his vessel within reasonably easy striking distance of the topmost point of the globe.

Germany possesses a miniature but most useful railway to which no parallel is found in this country. Its peculiarity is that its trains have no drivers. It is used for carrying salt from the salt mines at Stasfurt. The trains consist of three trucks, each carrying half a ton of salt. The engines are electric, of 24 horse-power each. As it approaches a station, of which there are five along the line, the train automatically rings a bell, and the station attendant turns a switch to receive it. He is able to stop it at any moment.

# SHAW MAKES REPLY.

## SECRETARY OF TREASURY CHALLENGES JUDGE PARKER.

### Points Out Errors in Argument of Democratic Nominee and Vigorously Defends Protection.

Speaking at Jersey City, N. J., on the night of Tuesday, October 25, Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw replied to Judge Parker's speech on the tariff made last Saturday to a delegation of democratic clubs at Esopus. Secretary Shaw took up the Parker document in detail, and pointed out the wrong conclusions arrived at by the democratic nominee. He said in part:

"On Saturday last the democratic candidate for president discussed the tariff question before a delegation representing certain democratic clubs of New York city. In this discussion he reviews the history of tariff legislation in the United States. He cites the fact, so frequently stated, that originally the protective tariff was imposed for the encouragement of infant industries, and he draws the conclusion that because our industries are no longer infantile, therefore the protective tariffs should be removed.

"Protection was originally advocated for the encouragement of American manufacture in the light of conditions then existing, and protection is now advocated for the purpose, both of encouraging and maintaining American manufacture in the light of the conditions now existing. Those who advocated protection under conditions existng 100 years ago very likely failed to anticipate conditions existing now, and therefore some of the arguments used then are not

LESLIE M. SHAW.

applicable now. The principle of protection, however, is as sound now as then, and the application of the principle is as beneficial now as it was then.

**High Benefits Derived.**

"It is not likely that Alexander Hamilton, more than others, anticipated the phenomenal growth and development of this country. In other words, Alexander Hamilton builded wiser than he knew. He expected a protective tariff would encourage the erection of factories in this country, and he reasoned rightly. He probably did not expect the American laborer to be paid from two to four times as much for the same work as is paid in Europe, nor that he would live on a much higher plane than the laborer of Europe. But with every increased tariff rate in this country wages have increased and the plane of living advanced.

"I do not know, nor does Judge Parker know, what Mr. Hamilton, if living, would think or say if a certain man were to tell him what he told me only last week. He owns a glove factory in the state of New York, and is a stockholder in a glove factory in Milan, Italy, and pays 80 cents for the same character and quantity of piece work in the New York factory that he readily secures in Milan for one lira (19.3 cents).

"I anticipate that Alexander Hamilton was statesman enough to know that the eight and one-half per cent. tariff rate of 1789, to which Judge Parker refers as proof that the country has drifted from the landmarks established by the fathers, would prove insufficient to protect the 80-cent workmen in the United States against the 20-cent workmen of Milan.

**Clay's Compromise.**

"Judge Parker quotes Henry Clay in his support of his compromise tariff of 1833. Andrew Jackson was then president and the democratic party was in control of both houses of congress. They were free traders. Henry Clay was a protectionist. To save the country from free trade, Mr. Clay supported the compromise measure referred to by Judge Parker, which was a gradual reduction of the tariff, the same as the democratic party and Mr. Parker now advocate.

"The bill provided that one-tenth of the existing tariff should be removed biennially, so that in 20 years the entire tariff would be wiped out and the country placed on a free trade basis. In the opinion of Henry Clay that was wiser than free trade at one blow.

"With the instinct of an advocate, Judge Parker failed to quote Henry Clay's opinion of the tariff law which his compromise bill gradually reduced. In a speech delivered in the United States senate in 1832 he said: 'If the term of seven years were to be selected of the greatest prosperity which this people has enjoyed since the establishment of our present constitution, it would be exactly that period of seven years which immediately followed the passage of the tariff of 1824.'

**Misery Follows Reduction.**

"While the great statesman thought a gradual reduction preferable to an immediate repeal, results did not justify his course. A tariff so low that it fails to protect, is like a fence so low that it fails to protect. If Judge Parker will read the first volume of Mr. Colton's life of Henry Clay, he will learn that ruin and universal want followed the Clay compromise.

"In six years the revenues fell off 25 per cent. and the government was borrowing money, and within four years horses were selling at auction for two dollars, cows at one dollar, oxen at 12½ cents each, hogs at 6½ cents each, and sheep at 13½ cents each. In one instance 24 hogs sold at auction for 25 cents. Wretchedness and want were everywhere, and free soup houses much more in demand than during the last period of democratic supremacy.

"If Henry Clay were living, I doubt very much if he would favor a repetition of the experiment. If the distinguished jurist candidate will study history for the sake of arriving at truth, instead of searching it to find stray sentences in the utterances of admitted statesmen which will justify the position of his party, he will never be a free trader, and he would not have been an advocate of free silver.

"The democratic candidate then refers to and by implication condemns the protective tariff of 1842, enacted by a whig congress, and signed by President Tyler, who succeeded to the presidency on the death of the old warrior and protectionist statesman, William Henry Harrison.

**Steel Rail Question.**

"The distinguished jurist candidate seems much exercised over the price of steel rails, but admits that railroad companies do not object. He accounts for this by an insinuation that the officers of the railroad companies are producers of steel rails. Why does he not invite some railroad president known not to be interested in the production of iron and steel to visit him and submit a few searching questions?

"I sought an interview with such a railroad president not long ago, and he said that he was satisfied with the present price of rails, and he did not care how cheap they were sold abroad. He said the only fear he had was that pending a doubtful presidential election the steel plants would have to close down. This was some months ago. I have not seen him since all possible doubt as to the result of the election has been removed.

"But I have a different theory than Judge Parker expresses. I assume that the railroad presidents have thought this question clear through, and are willing to pay a reasonable profit on steel rails on condition that the steel producers shall continue to take iron and coal from the mines, and shall continue to pay their men, thus furnishing the roads no end of transportation.

**Railroads Do Not Object.**

"I assume that the roads would prefer to pay yet an increased price for rails and allow the companies to dump their surplus abroad at yet reduced rates, rather than have a million men turned out of employment, which would mean receiverships for a large number of the roads. In other words, I assume that the railroad presidents are good business men, and there isn't so much difference between business men and statesmen as there is between politicians and statesmen.

"Later in his speech the distinguished jurist candidate states what he conceives to be a universal principle, and employs this language: 'A duty which does not raise the price of the article to the consumer fails of its object, and is therefore needless for purposes of protection.'

"Either Judge Parker knows nothing about the principle of protection, or I know nothing about it. On the same day this speech was made I had a long interview with a man interested in a number of canning factories, and who, therefore, consumes quantities of tin plate in the manufacture of cans to hold his product. He cited the effect of protection on the tin industry, and said it had resulted in cheaper tin.

**Protection Reduces Price.**

"I was recently through the potteries at Trenton. I saw sanitary pottery, bathtubs and the like, by the train load. The duty on this class of goods is 55 per cent. I was shown a particular bathtub, the price of which when they came from abroad under the low rate of the Wilson-Gorman bill was $120, and they are now sold at this pottery for $40.

"One of the manufacturers said that they could produce a much better bathtub in this country than in Europe, and could undersell Europe. Competition in the pottery business is intense and prices are believed to be reasonable.

"I asked this producer, who happened to be a democrat (but a protectionist as respects his own indistry), what effect the removal of the tariff on pottery would have. He said that it would ruin every branch of the business except sanitary pottery, and might encourage foreigners to dump their goods in such quantities as to close even that branch.

**Wages Always Higher.**

"Judge Parker, in the apparent hope of accentuating the lack of confidence between employer and employe, says: 'Inasmuch as the law puts the tariff benefits exclusively in the hands of the capitalists and provides no means for giving the wage worker his share, the system virtually says: 'Let the government take care of the rich and the rich will take care of the poor.'

"Judge Parker knows, or ought to know, what every student of the economic question does know, that wages in this country have always been much higher under protection than under a tariff for revenue only. He also ought to know the historic fact that the tariff had never been revised by his party that labor has not gone into the street to beg.

"The distinguished jurist is as reckless in his tariff utterances as in his statements concerning expenses of the Philippine islands, for he even cites the year 1860 and that period generally as being a period of prosperity. I assume that James Buchanan, who was then president, was in a position to know whereof he then spoke. It is not customary for presidents, however weak and incompetent, to libel their own administrations, and in his annual message in December, 1860, James Buchanan said:

"'With unsurpassed plenty in all the productions and all the elements of natural wealth our manufacturers have suspended, our public works are retarded, our private enterprises of different kinds are abandoned, and thousands of useful laborers are thrown out of employment and reduced to want. We have possesesd all the elements of material wealth in rich abundance, and yet, notwithstanding all these advantages, our country in its monetary interests is in a deplorable condition.'

**Would Disturb Business.**

"A reduction of the tariff to go into effect in the future would retire every purchaser from the market until the reduced rate went into effect, and producers would curtail their output, if they did not suspend altogether.

"The distinguished candidate says: 'It is true, as all know, that excessive tariff rates have caused serious injury to the great body of the people. It has increased the cost of living and added to the price of nearly everything that the people must buy. This is known of all men, and they cry out against it. And their cry should be heeded.'

"This sounds more like a judicial decision than like an argument. To what extent the people cry out against it will be known on November 8, and if they cry out sufficiently loud, they will be heard. But as the facts recited by the distinguished jurist are as erroneous as either his statement concerning the industrial conditions of 1860 or his estimate of the expense of maintaining the Philippine islands, I anticipate the people, who may have studied law less, but conditions more, than the distinguished jurist, will fail to cry very loudly.

**Cites Daniel Webster.**

"The other day a friend of mine said to an Italian workman: 'Are you going to vote the democratic ticket this year?' 'No, no; I don't want potatoes ten cents bushel.' Another Italian purchased a large number of pictures of Roosevelt and Fairbanks and printed under them in Italian: 'Pana e Lavoro,' meaning bread and work.

"It may sound out of place to compare my Italian friend to Daniel Webster, but in his speech opposing the gradual reduction of 22 per cent. in the Walker bill, which Judge Parker so strongly defends, but which was responsible for the conditions described by Horace Greeley and James Buchanan, he said:

"'And, sir, take the great truth; place it on the title page of every book of political economy intended for the use of the United States; put it in every farmer's almanac; let it be the heading of the column of every mechanics' magazine; proclaim it everywhere, and make it a proverb that where there is work for the hands there will be work for the teeth. Where there is employment there will be bread. It is a great blessing to the poor to have cheap food, but greater than that, prior to that, and of still higher value, is the blessing of being able to buy food by honest and respectable employment. Employment feeds and clothes and instructs. Employment gives health, sobriety and morals. Constant employment and well-paid labor produce in a country like ours general prosperity, content and cheerfulness.'

**Cheap Living a Plague.**

"This was Daniel Webster's prayer that the country might be saved from another period of cheap living expenses. I do not know how the democratic press treated him then, but I assume they denounced him as an enemy of the poor.

"But knowing as I do that idleness and paupery and abject want and starvation have always followed democratic tariff legislation, I join the Italian workman and Daniel Webster and repeat what I said at Wilmington, Del.: May the good Lord save us from another period of cheap living expenses."

## UNITED BY A DREAM.

### Ogdensburg, N. Y., Man Prompted by Revelation Seeks and Finds Aged Parent—Had Been Absent Forty-Three Years.

A long lost father has been located in Ogdensburg, N. Y., through a dream. The incident is a rather peculiar one, the truth of which is vouched for by the dreamer himself. During the war of the rebellion, Frank Ashley, of Cook's Corners, N. Y., enlisted at the call to arms and marched away. When peace was restored, he returned to his home and resumed work on the farm. But the life he had led in the army made farming a dull occupation to him, and he finally went to Colton, where he engaged as a sawyer in a lumber mill. For a few months his family heard from him regularly, but suddenly all communication ceased, and, as years passed, his family came to the conclusion that he had gone to join his comrades in the life beyond—that he was dead.

One night recently his son, Henry Ashley, a respected farmer, who was only a youngster when his father left home, dreamed that if he went to Ogdensburg he would find his father. The next morning he related his dream to his wife, who only laughed, putting little reliance in the dream.

Mr. Ashley could not get the dream out of his mind, so at last he determined to come to Ogdensburg, being fully convinced that when he returned to his home he would find his long lost parent. Arriving in the city he made inquiry among relatives, none of whom had heard anything of his father. Finally the young man visited Frank Johnson, customs officer at the Ferry dock, who is also quartermaster of Ransom post, No. 354, G. A. R., in that city, and to him related his story.

There the son was informed that a man named Frank Ashley was at that moment in the city hospital, sent from the soldiers' home at St. Louis, Mo., for treatment. Henry Ashley went to the hospital at once, and after conversing with the patient for a short time he was convinced that his dream had come true—that the sick man was his father.

The senior Ashley could hardly realize that it was his son to whom he was talking, the 43 years that had elapsed during his absence having transformed the child as when last seen into a man of middle age. The recognition was an affecting one. The old man is recovering, and as soon as able will go to the home of his son. He draws a liberal pension and is 76 years old. He had been an inmate of the soldiers' home at St. Louis for a long time.

**Meets Death in Odd Way.**

Ona, the 12-year-old son of Carrie Watson, is dead of lockjaw at Corydon, Ind., resulting from a fractured bone of the arm. Several days ago the boy was attempting to ride a calf in a field. The animal was playful and threw him to the ground. He fell on his left arm, the bone of which snapped and, protruding from the flesh, stuck into the ground. He was pinned, unconscious, for several hours until discovered by accident by a laborer returning home in the evening. Specialists were summoned, but their utmost endeavors were without avail.


## A VOICE FROM THE PULPIT.

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### A Tale of To-Day.

Opportunity knocked at the rich man's door.

But the rich man would not answer.

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Thus we learn that we cannot dodge our obligations with impunity.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### Hard Fight.

He—Why, wife, what's the matter? Your face is all scratched up.

She—Oh, yes, dear, I'm breaking in a new cook!—Y[illegible]ers Statesman.

### In the Wash.

A lady was looking for her husband and inquired anxiously of a housemaid, "Do you happen to know anything of your master's whereabouts?"

"I'm not sure, ma'am," replied the careful domestic, "but I think they are in the wash."—Chicago Journal.

### Flattery.

Flattery never emanates from great souls. It is an attribute of small minds, who thus still further belittle themselves to enter into the vital being of the persons about whom they crawl.—Balzac

### Not a Potato.

The so-called "sweet potato" is no potato at all, but belongs to an entirely different family, being truly an enlarged root of a creeping, twining vine, which has a blossom something like a morning glory. Sweet potatoes are richer in starch and sugar than the common potato.—Science.

### Yes, Indeed.

The Pessimist—It costs a great deal more to live nowadays than it used to.

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EASTWARD.

| STATIONS. | | 10 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 2 |
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| | | P. M. | ..... | P. M. | A. M. | A. M. |
| Port Allegany, | Lv. | 3 15 | ..... | 7 05 | ..... | 11 36 |
| Coleman, | | *3 23 | ..... | ○○ | ..... | *11 41 |
| Burtville, | | *3 30 | ..... | 7 16 | ..... | 11 47 |
| Roulette, | | 3 40 | ..... | 7 25 | ..... | 11 55 |
| Knowlton's, | | *3 45 | ..... | ○○ | ..... | *11 59 |
| Mina, | | 3 59 | ..... | 7 85 | ..... | 12 05 |
| Olmsted, | | *4 05 | ..... | *7 38 | ..... | *12 09 |
| Hammonds, | | ○○ | ..... | ○○ | ..... | *12 13 |
| Coudersport. | Ar. | 4 20 | A. M. | 7 45 | ..... | 12 15 |
| | Lv. | | 6 10 | | 6 00 | 1 00 |
| North Coudersport, | | ..... | *6 15 | ..... | ○○ | *1 05 |
| Frink's, | | ..... | 6 25 | ..... | *6 10 | *1 12 |
| Colesburg, | | ..... | *6 40 | ..... | *6 17 | 1 20 |
| Seven Bridges, | | ..... | *6 45 | ..... | *6 21 | *1 24 |
| Raymonds's, | | ..... | *7 00 | ..... | *6 30 | 1 35 |
| Gold, | | ..... | 7 05 | ..... | 6 36 | 1 41 |
| Newfield, | | ..... | ○○ | ..... | | 1 45 |
| Newfield Junction, | | ..... | 7 37 | ..... | 6 45 | 1 50 |
| Perkins, | | ..... | *7 40 | ..... | *6 48 | *1 53 |
| Carpenter's, | | ..... | 7 46 | ..... | ○○ | *1 57 |
| Crowell's, | | ..... | 7 50 | ..... | *6 53 | *2 01 |
| Ulysses, | Ar. | ..... | 8 05 | ..... | 7 05 | 2 10 |
| | | | A. M. | | | P. M. |

WESTWARD.

| STATIONS. | | 1 | 5 | 3 | |
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| | | A. M. | P. M. | A. M. | ..... |
| Ulysses, | Lv. | 7 20 | 2 25 | 9 10 | ..... |
| Crowell's, | | *7 27 | *2 32 | * 9 19 | ..... |
| Carpenter's, | | ○○ | *2 34 | * 9 22 | ..... |
| Perkins, | | *7 32 | *2 37 | * 9 26 | ..... |
| Newfield Junction, | | 7 37 | 2 42 | 9 32 | ..... |
| Newfield, | | *7 41 | 2 46 | ○○ | ..... |
| Gold, | | 7 44 | 2 49 | 9 40 | ..... |
| Raymond's | | *7 49 | 2 54 | * 9 47 | ..... |
| Seven Bridges, | | *8 01 | *3 06 | *10 02 | ..... |
| Colesburg, | | *8 04 | 3 09 | *10 10 | ..... |
| Frink's, | | *8 12 | *3 17 | *10 20 | ..... |
| North Coudersport, | | ○○ | *3 26 | *10 35 | ..... |
| Coudersport, | Ar. | 8 25 | 3 30 | 10 45 | ..... |
| | Lv. | 8 28 | 6 00 | P. M. 1 20 | ..... |
| Hammonds, | | ○○ | ○○ | ○○ | ..... |
| Olmsted, | | *8 33 | *6 05 | *1 31 | ..... |
| Mina, | | 8 37 | 6 10 | 1 37 | ..... |
| Knowlton's, | | ○○ | *6 17 | ○○ | ..... |
| Roulette, | | 8 47 | 6 21 | 1 51 | ..... |
| Burtville, | | 8 54 | 6 28 | 2 01 | ..... |
| Coleman, | | ○○ | *6 34 | ○○ | ..... |
| Port Allegany, | | 9 08 | 6 40 | 2 25 | ..... |

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| P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | A. M. | STATIONS. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |
| 5 10 | | 5 10 | 11 10 | 7 15 | Lv.....Addison.....Ar | 10 13 | 4 43 | | | |
| 5 41 | | 5 41 | 11 41 | 8 01 | .....Elkland..... | 9 41 | 4 11 | | | |
| 5 46 | | 5 46 | 11 46 | 8 06 | .....Osceola..... | 9 36 | 4 06 | | | |
| 5 55 | | 5 55 | 11 55 | 8 22 | .....Knoxville..... | 9 26 | 3 56 | | | |
| 6 11 | | 6 11 | 12 11 | 8 40 | .....Westfield..... | 9 13 | 3 43 | | | |
| 6 47 | | 6 47 | 12 47 | 9 25 | .....Gaines Junction..... | 8 36 | 3 06 | | | |
| 7 00 | | 7 00 | 1 00 | 9 49 | Ar. Galeton, Lv. | 8 23 | 2 53 | 5 35 | | |
| | 5 00 | | | 10 20 | Lv. Galeton, Ar. | | | | | |
| 7 40 | 5 40 | P. M. | P. M. | 10 58 | Ar.....Cross Fork Junction.....Lv | 7 39 | 2 09 | 4 23 | | |
| | 5 45 | 2 10 | | 11 00 | Lv. Cross Fork Junction Ar. | 7 15 | 2 00 | 3 55 | | |
| | 6 55 | 3 00 | | 11 50 | Ar. Cross Fork, Pa. Lv. | 6 15 | 1 00 | 3 05 | | |
| 8 24 | 6 24 | P. M. | A. M. | 11 39 | Ar.....Wharton.....Lv. | 6 53 | 1 26 | 3 10 | | |
| | | | 8 05 | 11 40 | Lv.....Wharton.....Ar | 10 53 | | 3 00 | | |
| | | A. M. | 8 58 | 1 00 | Ar.....Sinnamahoning.....Lv | 9 55 | | 1 40 | | |
| 8 45 | 6 43 | 8 00 | | 11 58 | Lv.....Austin.....Ar | 6 35 | 1 05 | 9 50 | 8 00 | |
| | 7 10 | 8 45 | | 12 25 | Ar.....Keating Summit.....Lv | | 12 40 | 9 10 | 7 30 | |
| P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | A. M | P. M. | | A. M. | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. | |
| | | | P. M. | A. M. | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | A. M. | P. M. | | | |
| 8 20 | | 9 35 | | | Lv.....Ansonia.....Ar | 9 21 | 7 00 | | | |
| 8 35 | | 9 49 | | | .....Manhatten..... | 9 05 | 6 44 | | | |
| 8 39 | | 9 53 | | | .....South Gaines..... | 9 01 | 6 40 | | | |
| 8 42 | | 9 55 | | | .....Gaines Junction..... | 8 59 | 6 38 | | | |
| 8 55 | | 10 09 | | | Ar.....Galeton.....Lv | 8 45 | 6 25 | | | |
| | | P. M. | A. M. | | | A. M. | P. M. | | | |
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| | | 1 24 | 6 47 | | .....Walton..... | 9 51 | 4 39 | | | |
| | | 1 50 | 7 13 | | .....Newfield Junction..... | 9 27 | 4 15 | | | |
| | | 2 06 | 7 39 | | .....West Bingham..... | 9 09 | 4 01 | | | |
| | | 2 18 | 7 41 | | .....Genesee..... | 8 58 | 3 52 | | | |
| | | 2 21 | 7 46 | | .....Shongo..... | 8 53 | 3 47 | | | |
| | | 2 46 | 8 06 | | Ar.....Wellsville.....Lv | 8 36 | 3 30 | | | |
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10 A. M.—Week days for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.23 P. M., New York 9.30 P. M., Baltimore 6 00 P. M., Washington 7.15 P. M. Pullman Parlor car from Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington.
2.25 P. M. (Emporium Junction) daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 p. m.; New York, 10:23 p. m.; Baltimore, 7:30 p. m.; Washington, 8:35, p. m. Vestibuled Parlor cars and passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.
20 P. M.—daily for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 4.23 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M. Baltimore, 2:20 A. M. Washington, 3:30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 A. M.
D 30 P. M.—Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 7.17 A. M., New York 9.33 A. M., weekdays, (10.38 A. M. Sunday;) Baltimore 7.15 A. M., Washington 8.30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie, Buffalo and Williamsport to Philadelphia and Buffalo, Williamsport to Washington. Passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore.
12:15 A. M. (Emporium Junction) daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 a. m.; New York, 9:33 a. m., week days; (10:38 Sundays); Baltimore, 7:25 a. m.; Washington, 8:46 a. m. Vestibuled Buffet Sleeping Cars and Passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

WESTWARD.
3:10 A. M.—Emporium Junction—daily for Erie, Ridgway, and week days for DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations.
10 30 A. M.—Daily for Erie and week days for DuBois and intermediate stations.
9 23 P. M.—Week days for Kane and intermediate stations.

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(Week days.)

| SOUTHWARD. | | | Stations. | NORTHWARD | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| P. M | A. M. | A. M. | | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |
| ..... | 9 00 | 4 02 | ....Renovo.... | ..... | 5 00 | 11 45 |
| ..... | 9 50 | 4 41 | ...Driftwood... | ..... | 4 05 | 11 05 |
| ..... | 10 25 | 5 10 | Emporium Junc | ..... | 3 23 | 10 35 |
| ..... | 11 15 | 5 53 | ...St. Marys... | ..... | 2 35 | 9 58 |
| 3 20 | 11 05 | 5 55 | .....Kane..... | 12 25 | 3 00 | 8 25 |
| 3 36 | 11 23 | 6 13 | ....Wilcox..... | 12 02 | 2 40 | 8 04 |
| 3 48 | 11 43 | 6 25 | ..Johnsonburg.. | 11 47 | 2 28 | 7 49 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 4 05 | 12 05 | 6 50 | ...Ridgway,.... | 9 20 | 2 10 | 7 30 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 4 15 | 12 15 | 7 01 | ..Mill Haven... | 9 09 | 1 58 | 7 20 |
| 4 25 | 12 24 | 7 10 | .. Croyland.... | 9 00 | 1 49 | 7 09 |
| ..... | 12 28 | 7 15 | ..Shorts Mills.. | 8 55 | ..... | 7 05 |
| 4 34 | 12 32 | 7 19 | ...Blue Rock... | 8 51 | 1 40 | 7 01 |
| 4 38 | 12 35 | 7 23 | .....Carrier..... | 8 47 | 1 37 | 6 57 |
| 4 48 | 12 45 | 7 32 | .Brockwayville. | 8 37 | 1 27 | 6 47 |
| 4 53 | 12 50 | 7 37 | ...Lanes Mills.. | 8 34 | 1 23 | 6 43 |
| 4 57 | ..... | 7 41 | .McMinns Sm't. | 8 30 | ..... | 6 38 |
| 5 01 | 1 00 | 7 45 | ..Harveys Run.. | 8 25 | 1 15 | 6 35 |
| 5 05 | 1 05 | 7 55 | ..Falls Creek... | 8 20 | 1 10 | 6 30 |
| 5 20 | 1 25 | 8 05 | ....DuBois..... | 8 08 | 12 55 | 6 10 |
| 5 10 | 1 15 | 7 55 | ..Falls Creek... | 6 53 | 1 15 | 6 30 |
| 5 27 | 1 29 | 8 08 | .Reynoldsville.. | 6 39 | 12 52 | 6 15 |
| 8 00 | 1 56 | 8 35 | ...Brookville... | 6 05 | 12 24 | 5 39 |
| 6 45 | 2 38 | 9 20 | New Bethlehem | ..... | 11 44 | 4 50 |
| 7 25 | 3 20 | 10 00 | ...Red Bank.... | ..... | 11 05 | 4 05 |
| 10 10 | 5 30 | 12 35 | ....Pittsburg... | ..... | 9 00 | 1 30 |
| P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | | A. M. | A. M. | P. M. |

BUFFALO & ALLEGHENY VALLEY DIVISION.
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Train No. 103, week days.....1:35 P. M.
Train No. 103 will connect at Olean with Chautauqua Division for Allegany, Bradford, Salamanca, Warren, Oil City and Pittsburg.

LOW GRADE DIVISION.
EASTBOUND.

| STATIONS. | 109 | 113 | 101 | 105 | 107 | 951 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. | P. M | P. M | A. M. |
| Pittsburg, Lv | ..... | ‡6 15 | ‡9 00 | ‡130 | *505 | ‡ 9 00 |
| Red Bank, | ..... | 9 30 | 11 05 | 4 05 | 7 55 | 11 10 |
| Lawsonham, | ..... | 9 47 | ‡1118 | 4 18 | 8 07 | 11 23 |
| New Bethle'm | ..... | 10 20 | 11 44 | 4 50 | 8 37 | 11 55 |
| Brookville, | ‡6 05 | 11 10 | 12 24 | 5 39 | 9 22 | 12 41 |
| Reynoldsville, | 6 39 | 11 42 | 12 52 | 6 15 | 9 50 | 1 14 |
| Falls Creek | 6 53 | 11 57 | 1 15 | 6 30 | 1005 | 1 29 |
| DuBois, | ‡ 00 | ‡12 05 | 1 25 | 6 40 | 1015 | 1 35 |
| Sabula, | 7 12 | ..... | 1 37 | 6 53 | | |
| Pennfield, | 7 30 | ..... | 1 55 | 7 15 | | |
| Benezette, | 8 04 | ..... | 2 29 | 7 47 | | |
| Driftwood, | ‡8 40 | ..... | ‡3 05 | 8 20 | | |
| via P. & E. Div | | | | | | |
| Driftwood, Lv. | *9 50 | ..... | ‡3 45 | | | |
| Emporium, Ar. | ‡10 30 | ..... | ‡4 10 | | | |
| | A. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M | P. M | P. M. |

WESTBOUND.

| STATIONS. | 108 | 106 | 102 | 114 | 110 | 952 |
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| Via P. & E. Div | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |
| Emporium, Lv. | ..... | ..... | ‡8 10 | ..... | ‡3 20 | ..... |
| Driftwood, Ar. | ..... | ..... | ‡9 04 | ..... | ‡4 00 | ..... |
| Via L. G. Div | ..... | | | | | |
| Driftwood, Lv. | ‡5 50 | ‡1110 | ..... | ..... | ‡5 50 | ..... |
| Benezette, | 9 25 | 11 45 | ..... | ..... | 6 25 | ..... |
| Pennfield, | 7 00 | 12 20 | ..... | ..... | 7 04 | ..... |
| Sabula, | 7 18 | 12 39 | ..... | ..... | 7 23 | ..... |
| DuBois | *6 05 | 7 30 | 12 55 | ‡5 00 | 7 35 | ‡4 10 |
| Falls Creek, | 6 12 | 7 55 | 1 15 | 5 10 | 7 42 | 4 17 |
| Reynoldsville, | 6 30 | 8 08 | 1 29 | 5 27 | 7 58 | 4 30 |
| Brookville, | 7 05 | 8 35 | 1 56 | 6 00 | ‡8 30 | 5 00 |
| New Bethle'm | 7 51 | 9 20 | 2 38 | 6 45 | ..... | 5 45 |
| Lawsonham, | 8 21 | 9 47 | ‡3 06 | 7 14 | ..... | 6 18 |
| Red Bank, | 8 35 | 10 00 | 3 20 | 7 25 | ..... | 6 30 |
| Pittsburg, Ar. | *11 15 | ‡1235 | ‡5 30 | ‡1010 | ..... | ‡9 30 |
| | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |

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## DEATH'S SUMMONS.

It Came Quite Suddenly to ex-Gov. Nash, of Ohio.

Columbus, O., Oct. 29.—Ex-Gov. George K. Nash dropped dead Friday morning in the bath room at the home of his stepdaughter, Mrs. Worthington E. Babcock. Gov. Nash had been in ill health for over a year, having been stricken with heart trouble and other complications while governor of Ohio. After Gov. Herrick assumed the duties of the office, ex-Gov. Nash became worse, and at one time the doctors resorted to the most heroic remedies to keep him alive.

To the surprise of his physicians, the former governor gradually rallied and recovered to such an extent that he was able to walk down to his office and attend to business. He remained very weak, however, but continued to attend to his law business, having been at his office on Thursday.

EX-GOV. GEORGE K. NASH.

Friday morning Mr. Nash arose late and went to the bath room, when he was heard to fall. Life was extinct when the family reached the room.

Ex-Gov. Nash was born in Medina county, Ohio, August 14, 1842. He attended Oberlin college, but left college before he graduated, to enter the army. Afterward he taught school and studied law in Columbus. He edited the Ohio State Journal for a time and was elected prosecuting attorney of Franklin county in 1870. He was elected attorney general of Ohio in 1879. He was elected governor of Ohio in 1899 and in 1901, serving two terms.

During the war of the rebellion he served as a private in Company C, One Hundred and Fiftieth O. V. I., of which the late Senator Hanna was the first sergeant. Gov. Nash leaves no family and his wife died some years ago.

## MUST BE NATURALIZED.

Filipinos Who Wish to Vote in this Country Must Take Out Citizenship Papers.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 29.—The registrars of voters here Friday twice refused to admit to suffrage J. E. Lagdameo, a Filipino student at the Yale forestry school. The registrars said that as Lagdameo was not native born it was necessary for him to become naturalized before he could vote. Lagdameo claimed that as the United States owns the Philippines he was a citizen of this country.

The matter was brought to the attention of Mayor Studley, who called up the attorney general's office in Washington. Assistant Attorney General Robb made this statement by telephone: "The supreme court of the United States has held that a Filipino is not a citizen of the United States. Therefore if the law of Connecticut requires a voter to be a citizen he must be naturalized."

### Four Convicts Escaped from Prison.

Jackson, Mich., Oct. 29.—Four convicts escaped from the state prison here Friday. James Wilson was serving a seven-year sentence for burglary, Edward McPherson ten years for burglary, John Cabo ten years for assault and robbery, and Thomas McGlynn four years for larceny. The four prisoners, with 13 others, were at work on a new cell block. Taking advantage of the noise made by hammers used in riveting the steel ceiling, they climbed into an attic and worked their way through the roof to the wall. By means of a 40-foot rope that they had picked up they climbed from the wall to the railroad track.

### Sheriff Raided a High Toned Club.

Washington, Oct. 29.—The Chevy Chase club, devoted to country sports and located in Montgomery county, Maryland, across the distric line, where local option is in force, was raided yesterday by the sheriff of Montgomery county. Several hundred dollars' worth of liquors were seized and the bartender was arrested. The latter was released, but the liquors were confiscated. The club is made up largely of well known society people of Washington, including members of the diplomatic corps, supreme court and congress.

### Killed by Knockout Drops.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Oct. 29.—Myrtle Smith, aged 26 years, is dead and Jennie Leaver is in critical condition, the result, it is said, of knockout drops taken Thursday night while the girls were drinking with two well known young men of this city. The girls are waitresses in a hotel here and met the men at a dance. While in a drug store after, it is alleged, they had been drinking heavily, the girls became ill.

### Agents Refuse to Advance Rates.

Indianapolis, Oct. 29.—At a meeting yesterday of the Indianapolis Fire Insurance association, composed of the agents of the 81 fire insurance companies doing business in Indianapolis, a resolution was adopted declaring that the Indianapolis agents of the companies refuse to make a proposed increase of from 10 to 20 per cent. in rates in the fire districts of the city, which was ordered by the companies to become effective November 1. The companies were notified that the agents would refuse to collect such increased rates.

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### Mr. Blumle Should Not be Elected.

The Independent has made a persistent effort all through this campaign to obscure the fact that the real issue is the relative fitness of the two candidates. We were about to add that the issue is also the relative merits of the principles for which they stand, but we are halted by the remembrance that Mr. Blumle has vouchsafed to the public no expression of his principles. Mr. Howard has repeatedly recognized his responsibility as a candidate by giving to the people of the county a full and clear expression of his views upon public questions. A decent regard for the intelligence of the county demands that a candidate for so responsible an office as Assemblyman should take the people into his confidence and tell them what he knows and thinks regarding questions of public interest. Mr. Blumle has not done this, and it is therefore difficult to discuss the relative merits of the principles of the two men. But we can discuss the relative fitness of the two candidates themselves, and we say unhesitatingly that the mumness and dumbness of Mr. Blumle's candidacy stamps him as one who does not possess the necessary qualifications of a legislator. A candidate for the Assembly, especially one who has served two terms at Harrisburg, should be unusually well-informed regarding public matters and in the details of recent legislative history, and should have clearly defined views and convictions upon all questions of public interest, particularly those which affect the state and county. He should moreover be able to impart a little of his information to the public and to impress a few of his convictions upon the people of the county. Thus far not one word of information or discussion has come from Mr. Blumle; never once has he deigned to give to the people under any form whatever a report of the manner in which he has fulfilled a trust committed to him on a previous occasion. Mr. Blumle is presuming upon the people of the county in thinking that they will elect a man who has not given the slightest information or expression of opinion regarding public questions. The writer of this gladly concedes that Mr. Blumle has to his credit many good qualities and deeds, but the mere fact that a man is good-hearted and generous is far from proving that he possesses the intelligence, knowledge and experience necessary to make one an efficient and creditable legislator.

We have repeatedly challenged the Independent to tell us something about Mr. Blumle's record at Harrisburg, but at this writing it has not accepted the challenge. The presumption is that it does not dare to do so. Mr. Blumle's record at Harrisburg has not been distinguished by efficiency, courage, or independence. At one time Mr. Blumle enjoyed the reputation of being a man of fearless independence, but time has shown that in this respect he has been an overrated man. It cannot be claimed with any degree of plausibility that "Frank Blumle wears no man's collar." At Harrisburg he wore the collar of his business interests and also the collar of some leaders prominent in the Democratic state organization. What measure was there before the Assembly at either of the sessions which Mr. Blumle attended, on which his attitude was not either that of a mere party Democrat or that of a "dodger?" Mr. Blumle's attitude towards his own recent nomination is another indication that he is not strong enough or independent enough to prevent the leader of the county organization of his party from fastening a collar tightly about his neck. The fact that he has been pulled and hauled into his present candidacy against his better judgment and inclination appeals to the pity rather than to the animosity of his political opponents. Nevertheless the people of the county will see in his reluctant candidacy an additional reason for voting against him. He is a candidate, not in answer to a popular demand, but in obedience to the beherts of one or two party bosses.

The issue on which the Independent, disregarding the personal inclination of Mr. Blumle himself, has sought to carry this campaign has been the so-called demand for "vindication." Only by the most silent implication has Mr. Blumle himself countenanced this "vindication" hue and cry. Personally it must be exceedingly distasteful to him. He knows that it has no relevance whatever in this present campaign. But even were he giving this cry his own active and explicit endorsement, it could still be shown, as we have already shown repeatedly, that this issue is hollow all the way through. It has failed signally to arouse any enthusiasm, for the reason that the people of the county understand clearly the character of the methods used by Mr. Blumle in his former campaigns. The Independent has intimated more than once that Mr. Mullin used corrupt methods in his campaign against Mr. Blumle, and its logic seems to be that since Mr. Mullin was as deep or deeper in the mire than Mr. Blumle in the mud, therefore Mr. Blumle should be "vindicated" in order to make this appear. Assuming for the moment, for the sake of argument, that this unsubstantiated allegation is true, what should be the true conclusion for honest voters to draw? Simply this: that neither of the two was entitled to the seat. The premises could not possibly justify a "vindication" of Mr. Blumle,

There is no reason why Mr. Blumle should be elected; the only reason urged, "vindication," is irrelevant and hollow. When in addition to the failure of the "vindication" cry, we consider the neglect of Mr. Blumle to recognize his responsibility as a candidate, ignoring completely the right which the people have to look to him for a report of his legislative service and for an expression concerning his views on public questions; when, moreover we examine his record for ourselves and find therein evidence of his lack of courage and independence, and find still further evidence of his lack of courage and independence in his attitude towards his own recent nomination; the conclusion is irresistible that Mr. Blumle should not be elected.


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### Contrast the Results.

Senator Fairbanks asks whether we are to go forward or turn back. President Garfield asked the young men whether they wanted to walk in the light of hope and confidence or prowl about in a graveyard.

Both are pertinent questions for young men in this campaign. The Republican party has a record for doing things. The principal complaint of the opposition is because this party has done things, even though they were things which men of all parties, even Democrats, have been saying ought to be done. They now admit that the gold standard has been irrevocably fixed by law, that they cannot change the tariff however much they might desire to do so, that the Panama Canal must be built, that the trusts have been curbed, and that we have the Philippines and must keep them for a time.

With the exception of four years, from 1893 to 1897, the Republican party has directed the policy of the Government and under that policy there has been progress and prosperity, here more abundant than anywhere else in the world. From 1861 to 1893, notwithstanding the greatest civil war of the world's history, our prosperity was phenomenal. Our wealth increased from $16,000,000,000 in 1860 to $77,000,000,000 in 1890; our manufactured products from $1,800,000,000 to $9,300,000,000. The prosperity of the United Stutes attracted millions of people from other countries, who came to join in the benefits of this new and better life. Slave labor was abolished, free labor received the highest wages ever paid, and in money which was at a premium in every other country. We marched forward in confidence and hope for the future.

But in 1892 the people at the polls committed the government to the care of the Democratic party, notwithstanding the pledge of that party to undo the things that had been done and by so undoing, give us the markets of the world. That party kept the first part of its pledge. It undid prosperity and industrial enterprise, but it did not give us the markets of the world or allow us to retain our own market. Its theories were old and out of date. It had dug in the graveyard of its buried past and brought forth theories that had been discarded as impracticable and worthless. But it tried again the old theory of free trade and the American people became idle while the people of Europe prospered at our expense.

We had four years of paralysis due to the turning backward by that party, and when the next opportunity came for the people to order a change they elected William McKinley, the prophet of protection and prosperity for their Chief Magistrate. The Republican party restored the policies that had made the country great, and from the day of that election confidence returned, and business resumed. There was work and wages for all, and wages again increased until in 1903 they were higher than ever before, and earnings higher by 50 per cent. than in 1894.

In eight years we have wiped out all but the memory of the Democratic disasters. Shall we continue to move forward in the sunlight of hope and prosperity or again prowl about in the graveyard of buried issues trying to revive them and see if after resurrection they will not prove more serviceable?

### A Continual Strain.

Many men and women are constantly subjected to what they commonly term "a continual strain" because of some financial or family trouble. It wears and distresses them both mentally and physically, affecting their nerves badly and bringing on liver and kidney ailments, with the attendant evils of constipation, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, low vitality and dispondency. They cannot, as a rule, get ride of this "continual strain," but they can remedy its health-destroying effects by taking frequent doses of Green's August Flower. It tones up the liver, stimulates the kidneys, insures healthy bodily functions, gives vim and spirit to one's whole being, and eventually dispels the physical or mental distress caused by that "continual strain." Trial bottle of August Flower, 25c; regular size, 75. At all druggists.

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### Relief at Once.

Immediate relief from backache pain in the side, groin or hips is experienced by taking a large dose of Thompson's Barosma or Kidney and Liver Cure. A continuation of its use will make a positive cure. Thompson's Barosma does not contain opiates and a large reward is offered for any injurious drug found in its composition. It is purely vegetable and a remedy adopted to all ages. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

You will not lose any true friends by loving your enemies.

### A Great Bridge.

For over a month I had been troubled with a lame back and neck. The pain was so severe that I could not sleep. I bought one bottle of Thompson's Barosme or Kidney Cure and before the bottle was used up I was well as ever and wish to speak a good word for Barosma the "Bridge that carried me safely over." E. S. Gray, Shamburg, Pa. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

Religion gets its rating in this world on the basis of its reality.

### Discovery in Medicine.

Medical science has been striving to discover remedies that instead of relieving temporarily will make permanent cures. The great claim for that splendid remedy Thompson's Barosma or Backache, Kidney and Liver Cure is that it makes a decided and lasting cure. This remedy has positively made wonderful cures in Bright's disease, sciatic rheumatism, kidney and liver diseases, lumbago and female weakness. Thompson's Barosma is purely vegetable and pleasant to take. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

When a man tries to hide his religion he is sure to lose it.

### A Remarkable Discovery.

One of the greatest discoveries judging from the permanent cures made, is San-Cura Ointment, It relieves at once that itching, burning pain caused by Erysipelas, Tetter, Eczema, and Salt Rheum, San-Cura Ointment also cures Old Sores, Pimples, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Corns, Itching Piles and Insect Bites. It draws out all poison leaving a sound healthy skin. Aids in preventing scars. Druggists, 25c and 50c. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

Take your religion as a dose and it will soon make you sick.

### A Wonderful Saving.

The largest Methodist Church in Georgia, calculated to use over one hundred gallons of the usual kind of mixed paint in painting their church.

They used only 32 gallons of the Longman & Martinez Paint with 24 gallons of linseed oil. Actual cost of paint made was less than $1.20 per gallon.

Saved over eighty ($80.00) dollars in paint, and got a big donation besides.

EVERY CHURCH will be given a liberal quantity whenever they paint.

Many houses are well painted with four gallons of L. & M., and three gallons of linseed oil mixed therewith.

Wears and covers like gold.

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It's impossible to love your neighbor as he loves himself.

### Why You Should Visit the World's Fair.

The principle reason why a visit should be made to this greatest of Expositions is on account of its educational value. A visit to the World's Fair is in itself a trip around the world, for fifty cents, the price of admission. The president of one of our greatest universities has said "To the bright student the Exposition is worth a thousand college lectures." The opportunity of a life-time is afforded in which to acquire, by a few days' sojourn at the Fair, an education which could not otherwise be received. The World's Fair Grounds cover over 1200 acres, being more than twice as large as those of the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago.

Only a few weeks remain in which to take advantage of this great opportunity. Every day from now until the close of the Fair is a "special" day. The Wabash is selling daily Excursion tickets to the Fair at greatly reduced rates: $12.00 St. Louis and return, on sale daily, except Fridays and Saturdays. Tickets good in Palace Reclining Chair Cars, $15.00, St. Louis and return. Tickets on sale daily, and good on either Palace Reclining Chair Cars or Pullman Sleepers. The Wabash operates through trains from Pittsburg to the World's Fair Main Entrance, all trains leaving the magnificent new passenger station, corner of Liberty avenue and Ferry street, at 2:00 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. daily, city time.

Detailed information regarding rates and train service, to St. Louis, as well as to many Homeseekers' points in the West, Northwest and Southwest, cheerfully furnished at Wabash City Ticket Office, 320 Fifth avenue, Depot Ticket Office, Wabash Station. 35-4t

# Hotel Furniture Bedding, Etc., For Sale.

I offer for sale by piece or lot, the furniture lately used in the Warner House. For want of room it must be sold. Big bargains.

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### Thousands Cured.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has cured thousands of cases of Piles. "I bought a box DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve on the recommendation of our druggists," so writes C. H. LaCroix, of Zavalla, Tex., "and used it for a stubborn case of Piles, It cured me permanently." Sold by R. C. Dodson.

The reformed villian is generally changed to a jealous tyrant.

### Mothers Praise It.

Mothers everywhere praise One Minute Cough Cure for the sufferings it has relieved and the lives of their little ones it has saved. A certain cure for coughs, croup and whooping cough. A. L. Spafford, Postmaster, of Chester, Mich., says; "Our little girl was unconscious from strangulation during a sudden and terrible attack of croup. One Minute Cough Cure quickly relieved and cured her and cannot praise it to highly." One Minute Cough Cure relieves coughs, makes breathing easy, cuts out phlegm, draws out inflammation and removes every cause of a cough and strain on lungs. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Some men make opportunities for others to take advantage of.

### A Runaway Bicycle.

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer, unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured, It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles 25c, at L. Taggart's Drug Store.

If a man is prejudice and knows it there is still hope for him.

### Don't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. Kings New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever, Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill. 25c, at L. Taggart's Drug Store.

A fussy person quickly sours the milk of human kindness.

### Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the wort cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. The great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by L. Taggart Druggist. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

The man who loves to be alone, is either a poet or a degenerate.

### Not a Sick Day Since.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter wss entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility. This is what B. F. Bass of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50c, at L. Taggart, Druggist.

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Applied externally, it relieves the pain at once. Taken internally, it cures permanently by purifying the blood of the lactic acid which causes the disease.

Anthony Smith, of Mayville, Ill., says: "I had such severe rheumatic pains in my arm and shoulder that I could neither work nor sleep and was fast losing all hope of cure, when I heard of and tried Hamlins Wizard Oil, two bottles of which performed a perfect, permanent cure." Price, 50c and $1.

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**Sample mailed free.**

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The continued use of Humphreys' Witch Hazel Oil permanently cures Piles or Hemorrhoids—External or Internal, Blind or Bleeding, Itching or Burning, Fissures and Fistulas. Relief immediate—cure certain.

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## NERVOUS DEBILITY,

Vital Weakness and Prostration from overwork and other causes. Humphreys' Homeopathic Specific No. 28, in use over 40 years, the only successful remedy. $1 per vial, or special package for serious cases, $5.

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DEPART.

7.35 A. M.—For Kersey (Arr. 8.14 a. m.), Byrne dale (Arr. 8.56 a. m.,) Weedville (Arr. 9.03 a. m.,) Elbon (Arr, 8.46 a. m.,) Shawmut (Arr. 9.08 a. m.,) Brockwayville (Arr. 9.42 a. m.)

12.33 P. M.—For Clermont (Arr. 1.37 p. m.,) Smethport (Arr. 2.20 p. m.,) connecting for Bradford (Arr. 3.30 p. m.,) Eldred (Arr. 2.49 p. m.,) Olean (Arr. 3.40 p. m.,) connecting for Buffalo (Arr. 6.10 p. m.,) Bolivar (Arr. 3.33 p. m.,) Friendship (Arr. 4.08 p. m.,) Angelica (Arr. 4.34 p. m.,) Hornellsville (Arr. 6.10 p. m., Wayland (Arr. 7.23 p. m.,) connecting at Wayland with D. L. & W. R. R., and at Hornellsville with Erie R. R., for all points East and West.

2.45 P. M.—For Kersey (Arr. 3.26 p. m.,) Elbon (Arr. 4.09 p. m.,) Shawmut (Arr. 4.22 p. m.,) Brockwayville (Arr. 4.47 p. m.,) connecting with P. R. R., for Falls Creek (Arr. 5.10 p. m.,) DuBois (Arr. 5.25 p. m.,) Brookville (Arr. 6.00 p. m.,) and Pittsburg (Arr. 9.30 p. m.)

ARRIVE.

11.05 A. M. } From Brockwayville, Shawmut
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The four button Sack Suits shown in the picture will appeal to good dressers who want to be just a little in advance of the "merchant tailor's styles."

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## LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

### PERSONAL GOSSIP.

*Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.*

Miss Encie Howard is enjoying a visit to friends at Albany, N. Y.

Michael Parker, of Sterling Run, transacted business in Emporium today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. E. M. Hurteau have been spending a few days at Buffalo.

Mrs. Wykoff, of Cameron, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Niles Friday.—Port Allegany Argus.

Theo. Metzger and family who have resided in Emporium the past year returned to Coudersport on Monday.

We regret to learn our friend John Robinson, of West Fifth street is seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Beldin, of Moore Hill, returned on Monday from visiting friends in Cambria county.

Geo. P. Jones visited at Pittsburg during the past few days, returning home on Tuesday. He enjoyed himself.

Mrs. Gilbert Morse, of Emporium, and Mrs. James Estes, of Williamsport, visited relatives at Cameron, this week.

While coupling cars on the E. R. V. R. R., Tuesday evening Edward Hout had the thumb on his left hand smashed.

Mrs. James Estes, who has been here taking care of her sister, Mrs. Warren McConnell, returned to Williamsport this morning.

Mrs. Ed. Morse and little daughters, Dora and Nina, visited her adopted mother, Mrs. P. H. Mason, at Sterling Run, this week.

Sylvester McDonough returned from Buffalo last Saturday, where he went to consult a specialist. We are sorry to note he received but little encouragement.

The extensive improvements being made to the First National Bank building are just commencing to show up It will require several weeks to complete the work.

Mrs. J. H. Burrows and granddaughter, Miss Eva Burrows, of Washington, D. C., visited friends in Emporium last Thursday and Friday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Logan and family.

Elmer Kaye, of Westboro, Wis., is visiting relatives and friends in Emporium, guest of his sister and family. Mrs. Jas. L. Norie. This is his first visit to Emporium since he left here with his parents.

W. E. Chilson, accompanied by his mother and sisters and brother, of Renovo, came to Emporium last Monday with the remain's of Mabel's four weeks' old child, which was interred in Newton Cemetery, in the family plot.

J. C. McQuay, of Seneca, N. Y., visited with his brother R. R. McQuay and family at this place Monday, while en route to Turbotsville to see his sick sister. This is the first time the brothers have met in seventeen years. Of course they had so much to talk about that they sat up all night compiarng notes.

Joel Shives returned last week from the west where he has has been for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Butler, of Port Allegheny, Pa., drove to Emporium last Tuesday, remaining with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Butler and family until yesterday. Mr. Butler conducts the Connolly House at Port, in addition to conducting an extensive basiness as shipper of live stock to New York. Jos. is a hustler and is popular at home as well as in Emporium, where he worked like a Trojan in Howard's mill, at the iever. We are pleased to know that he is prosperous, happy and contented with his happy little family.

The county wishes for Representative a man who represents the best intelligence and moral sense of the community.

### See the Difference.

Mr. Josiah Howard, the Republican candidate for Representative, collects large sums of money from outside of Cameron county and disburses the same at home, while his opponent collects large sums of money in Cameron county, from its people and sends the same out of the county.

Mr. Blumle after promising to drop his fight against Mr. Mullin, unless Mr. Mullin was a candidate now asks to be elected the third time. Vote down the idea that Mr. Blumle is three times as good as Mr. Howard.

### Bishop Whitehead Coming.

The Rev. Mr. Robertson, Rector of Emmanuel Church, has just received notice that Bishop Whitehead will make a visitation to this Parish on Wednesday, November 30th and will administer confirmation in the evening.

The ladies of Presbyterian church will serve dinner and supper in the basement of the new church, Tuesday, Nov. 8th, from 12 to one and from five until all are served.

### Election News.

The Business Men's Club have completed agreeable arrangements to display the election returns on a large canvas in front of the Keystone Powder office and A. A. McDonald's store. A large stereopticon has been purchased for the occasion. Both the Postal and Western Union wires will run to the Club rooms. None but resident members will be admitted to the Club rooms.

Vote for Mr. Howard.

Vote for Dr. Bardwell.

Vote for progress and peace in county matters.

Vote for the whole Republican ticket.

### BRIEF MENTION.

A good pastry cook can secure a permanent position by applying at New Warner at once.

Photographer W. G. Bair was called to Cameron on Tuesday to make some views for Cameron Lumber Company.

Dr. Bardwell is a broad-minded, liberal man, of sound views on all public questions. Vote for him for County Treasurer.

No Republican who has the welfare of his country at heart, will dally with the enemy this year. Vote the straight Republican ticket.

"Doctor Bardwell is an excellent gentleman for County Treasurer. Hi fine education will enable him to grasp the work of the office at once."—Emporium Independent, March 31, 1904.

A new book by Anthony Hope under the title of "Double Harness" has just been published by McClure Phillips. Anything by the author of "The Dolly Dialogues" and "The Prisoner of Zenda" is sure of a wide public in America. This new book should prove a success, for it is said to add to the clever wittiness of "The Dolly Dialogues" and the sustained interest of the romantic "The Prisoner of Zenda" a very clever delineation of modern English life as it is.

Beware of the "potent" methods of electioneering that are recommended by the Independent.

### Horse for Sale.

The horse for so long driven in the Bakery delivery wagon, is for sale.

MRS. C. G. SCHMIDT.

Subscribe for the PRESS; only $1.50 a year in advance.

*The Smart Set* magazine will entertain you.

### Flint and Steel.

Mrs. Highmore (with cold dignity)—To what am I indebted for the honor of this visit? Unexpected Caller—To your careless servant, perhaps, madam. I dare say she forgot that you were not at home.—Chicago Tribune.

### The Truth.

"Mr. Hardup must have used a great deal of flattery to win the heiress."

"No; he simply told her the truth."

"Indeed?"

"Yes; he said he couldn't live without her."

### Spiteful.

Miss Oldgirl—I don't like the color of my hair. Miss Youngthing—Don't let that bother you, my dear. It can't be long now before it turns gray.

### An Amusing Issue.

Sing a song of thirty cents,
A journal all awry,
A most amusing issue
Baked in a pie.

When the pie was opened,
The issue was at hand:
"Make the state pay taxes
On unseated land."

Ha! ha! ha! the people laughed,
Is not this issue "funny?"?
Hockley thinks to make the county rich
And flow with milk and honey.

'Tis a "fatuous" proposition,
Is he of sense bereft?
He thinks to make his right hand full
By emptying his left.

Mr. Blumle on November eighth
Will fight up hill all day,
And up will come this issue,
And snatch his votes away.

### Popular Sunday Paper.

The Buffalo Sunday Courier, one of the most popular publications in the country will next Sunday give a pair of Magic Spectacles and a Wonder Photograph, with each copy of the beautiful publication. Be sure you get a copy. The Couries is the best Sunday paper that comes to Emporium.

### The Wagon and the Star.

Emerson said, "Hitch your wagon to a star." The Independent has been making frantic efforts to hitch Mr. Blumle's wagon to Mr. Howard's star. It is true that the kind of load represented by Mr. Blumle's wagon may sometimes cause one to see stars, but not Mr. Howard's kind. No, no, neighbor it is impossible to hitch Mr. Blumle's wagon to Mr. Howard's star.

### Judge Parker Right Once.

Judge Alton B. Parker, the Democratic candidate for President, must have had Cameron county in mind when he wrote the following. Can it be possible that Boss Hockley unbosomed himself to the Judge, when he uttered this rebuke to the Democratic machine of Cameron county:

**The question ought to be settled now whether the "floaters" and illegal combinations can together control an election in this country. Such a contest means on one side vast sums of money and every man with an itching palm. It ought to array every honest, independent and patriotic citizen on the other side.—Alton B. Parker.**

It is the right of the voters to say who they desire to fill the office of County Treasurer. Doctor Bardwell, will, if elected, fill the office himself, personally.

### The New Warner.

The traveling public who have occasion to visit Emporium will be glad to know that the well-known and happily-located Warner House is now in the hands of a man who will make it one of the best hotels in this part of the State. Mr. Wheeler, the proprietor, is laying out about $12,000 in improvements, making the hostelry up-to-date in every respect.—Coudersport Journal.

### Death of Frederick Mankey.

The many friends of Mr. Frederick Mankey will regret to learn of the sudden death of that venerable gentleman at Williamsport last Saturday evening. While taking a walk on Grace street the death messenger came, He was taken to the hospital but died before reaching that place. His remains were taken to the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Robt. A. Hensel, from where the funeral took place on Tuesday. Deceased was born in Prussia in 1833, coming to America in 1857; was a veteran of the civil war and one of the most prominent furniturs manufacturers in the country.

### Our Campaign Readers.

With this issue closes the subscription list of the campaign subscribers, as it practically closes the campaign. The battle has been won and we feel sure that victory is ours. President Roosevelt will be given at least 303 electoral votes, Pennsylvania will roll up 300,000 majority for the National and State tickets, while Cameron county will give a nice safe majority for the entire ticket, National, State and County.

We have endeavored to conduct the PRESS in a dignified, clean and honorable manner during the campaign. We have studiously avoided mud-slinging and have ignored personal reference to ourselves or candidates, at the same time keeping our columns free from assaults upon the character of "our friends, the enemy." We hope our new readers have enjoyed reading the PRESS and that very many may become constant readers in the future. Our terms are $1.50 per year. Send in your names early.

"Dr. Eugene O. Bardwell, of Emporium, has been nominated by the Republicans of Cameron county for the office of Treasurer. No better man in the party could be selected.—Austin Autograph, (Dem.) July 21, 1904.

### Parker and the Philippines.

To the Editor of "The Philadelphia Press."

SIR: I have read Judge Parker's tirade about the Philippine Islands, etc., as printed in "The Press." I have just finished reading Mr. Curtis' reply to the same and I can say "aye" and "amen" to all Mr. Curtis has said. I was in the Philippine Islands for six weeks in August and September, 1903—most of the time in Manila. I was well acquainted with Governor Taft, General Randel, General Allen, of the Insular Department; Captain McCormick, of the secret service; Major Kennon, who is building the Bengout road, and many other officers and a great number of merchants I know personally therefore, that much that Mr. Curtis said it perfectly true, and I also know all he writes about is the belief of all the Americans and Europeans in the Islands, I was much interested in Judge Parker's statement as to the censorship of the press and Mr. Curtis' answer.

I know every paper spoken of, especially the "Sunday Sun" and again say Mr. Curtis speaks the truth. I happened to have brought home with me several copies of a publication printed in Manila just before I sailed, entitled "The Manila Review of Trade and Price Current." If there was any censorship in Manila, surely this paper should be censored. I know of my personal knowledge, that Major Kennon could not get men to build his road although he sent parties from Bengout, in the north of Luzon to the Province of Ajby in the south of Luzon, and scoured the intervening country. I know also the contractors for the electric road in Manila could not get men. I also know that Captain Barrett, the head of Mines and Mining Bureau, could and get men to open up some veins of coal he had discovered. I also personally know that whenever a Filipino was capable of doing any kind of work room was made for him, even if an American had to be discharged, especially in the printing and customs department's.

Captain Barrett had to do his own typewriting, because the Government took from his office every white man and put Filipinos in their places. There is even a complaint out there that our Government is doing too much for the natives. I am well acquainted with the heads of some large German houses there, and they complain most bitterly of this. I understand from every source that wages had risen tremendously since the American occupation. I also know that the native has equal justice and often the advantage over the American. If you disobey the laws you are very likely to be arrested by a native police and tried before a native Judge, and if your arrest was caused through trouble with a native the chances are that the native will have the best of the bargain. The idea was also general that the Filipino was not capable of governing himself and would not be for years. I do not write this for publication, yet if you can use any of it you are welcome to do so.

FRED JULIAN.

Emporium, Pa., Oct, 27, 1904.

### The Star Course.

The People's Star Course will open Thanksgiving evening, Nov. 24, when the Amphion Male Quartet, with Miss Nellie Nichols as reader, will be the attraction. The placing of the tickets with persons already subscribers will be proceeded with as rapidly as possible and the further canvass for the sale of tickets be completed by the committee in charge of this work. The talent is the best and the patronage promises to be large.

### Just Received.

In behalf of my infant daughter, BURNICE ALBERTA SIBERT, I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the residents of Cameron county and attendants at the County Fair held Oct. 6-7, at Emporium, Pa., for the respect shown her by all voters at the Baby Contest. Her large majority of votes entitling her to not only one prize but three of the four offered, viz: 1st, "the handsomest;" 2d, "the cutest;" and third "the best apparalled." I have just received the said awards and am much pleased with each one, as they are very beautiful. Hoping at some time to meet and know all voters, I remain.

Sincerely,
MRS. C. A. SIBERT.

Emporium, Pa., Oct. 31, 1904.

### NORTH CREEK.

*Editor Press:—*

Robt. Warner is nursing an injured hand.

Ernest Housler's new residence is nearing completion.

Mrs Llewella Moore is having a serious time with ulcerated teeth.

Lilah Berry has returned after an extended visit to Rich Valley and Emporium.

Mrs. Freemont Mott and daughter Helen have returned from Bradford county, were they were called, about two weeks ago, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mott's mother.

County Commissioner, John W. Lewis, was very agreeably surprised, Tuesday evening, when a large number of his friends gathered to help him celebrate his 48th anniversary. The evening was spent in social chat, with plenty of music, after which a bountiful supper was served and every one departed, well pleased with the pleasant evening. Mr. Lewis is one of our most popular citizens

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### SINNAMAHONING.

Fine weather for this time of the year. Good for hunting.

Seth Ann Nelson has captured five bear this fall.

Several parties have started on their annual hunt already.

Bear seem to be very plenty around here this fall.

Hunters do not want to forget to leave their dogs at home.

Walter Drum visited the county seat on Monday.

Mrs. Jas. Quigle, of Lock Haven, is visiting here this week.

The Sinnamahoning post office has been moved from the hotel to Barclay Bros. store.

Several boys done quite a lot of mischief on halloween and will probably have to pay for their fun.

Mr. Frank Fisher's little girl was bitten quite severely by J. G. Johnson's dog. Such a dog is a nuisance.

"Pollertix" is quiet here at present. All are waiting to roll up a big Republican majority next Tuesday.

DEBSE.

### GOODYEAR.

What was the matter last Wednesday hunters? Pretty damp was it not.

A. Q Krebs has finished planking the county bridge, near the Lucore farm.

Misses Ethel and Rena Housler were Emporium visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. Lucore has gone to Shippen to visit her daughter, Mrs. Wygant.

Mr. Minard and Mr. Sprung were visitors on our street last Sunday.

Mr. John McCarthy, of Erie, Pa., was visiting his sister, Mrs. Housler, one day last week.

Mr. Towner, one of our school directors, was distributing books at the school house on Monday.

Mrs. Mulligan and children, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. McDonnel, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Herman and daughter Miss Beulah, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Minatd, have returned home.

We must be going to have "music in Goodyear" at the the rate the organ cleaner and tuner was at work here last week.

On Monday morning, after Mr. Stevens had started for work, smoke was seen coming through the roof of his house. The neighbors quickly discovered that the upper part of the house was on fire and by the prompt action it was soon put out. The damage was slight,

PET TURTLE.

Oct. 31, 1904.

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# THE THINGS THAT ARE

By V. H. LANCASTER.

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MADISON, coming in abruptly, had asked Daisy for a title and when she pointed silently to the last lines of Lewis' "Highway" he snapped on his glasses, frowning slightly as he read:

"But be our haven near or far we put our trust in things that are."

"The things that are," she repeated, significantly.

"You have been thinking it over! To be a deep thing or whimsical?"

"Rather deep—earnest, at any rate."

"To pivot on a man or a woman?"

"Woman. But you had better pivot it on a man, for you don't know a thing in the world about women."

"Nothing; except that there is no telling from what point of view a woman will approach an issue."

"The things that are, are hard on a woman," he muttered, thoughtfully.

"But a man has greater reverence for them."

Madison studied the poem, by his expression neither accepting nor rejecting her assertion. He looked tired—and he was. But, Indian like, had taken up this additional task to convince his flagging energies that they were not so nearly spent as they seemed to be. Had taken it up and carried it across the hall to Daisy Dunbar's den. Being wont to come to her because she had enough common sense to take a man in his mood. Not many women had that much, he fancied. Also he had on several occasions found this practical young person a very present help in a rush. Presently he sunk his lean jaws into his lean palms and said, still staring at the poem spread out before him: "I need not only a title, but a first line and a last line, and a plot."

"You have your last line in the quotation."

"Possibly. 'We put our trust in things that are.' Yes."

"You have your first line in the quotation."

Madison looked dubious, his tired mind not yet reaching to the spring of hers.

"Why, of course you have. 'A first line should catch the attention.' What more strikingly beautiful, or beautifully striking than this?" And slowly she read the lines upside down:

"Go, pipe your song and dream your dream,
And feed your soul on things that seem;
But be our haven near or far,
'We put our trust in things that are.'"

"Oh, yes; that way. Perhaps."

"And you have your plot in the quotation."

"How?"

"In its pathetic perversity isn't it the ever-heard cry of the human bearing witness to the well-night futility of Heaven's best planned pleasures for man? If you pivot your story on a man—strike out in a few of your strong strokes a hero gifted beyond the ken of most men, and throw across his path the unusual woman—the woman who can comprehend him in all his moods and phases, then against the high, white light of his love for her paint the story of his struggle against the ascendancy of the things that are, flashing across the gloom of it the fitful flares of a man's inborn horror of ridicule, his abject terror of doing the unusual; and sink him at last to the sullen commonplace of the tangible. Marry him to the widow who wore violets in her bonnet and mourning of the type most approved of man. There's your plot."

Madison had been staring steadily at the poem from under bent brows. When Daisy made an end he pulled out, and shoved toward her without speaking, the editor's instructions: "You will understand that we want something with a touch of to-day in it: natural and real."

"There is no touch of to-day in what you have been saying," he grumbled. "Nothing natural, nothing real."

And instead of being exasperated by his disgruntled ingratitude, Daisy only replied in a tone of thoughtful conviction:

"Well, yes, there are several touches," and lay back in her chair contentedly studying the contrasting shades of the blue blotter on the green baise while Madison sulked because the subtle analogies of her sharpened perception were but as blurs to his fagged out faculties.

"You have been plotting the thing to pivot on a woman," he broke out, fractiously. "A man has no such horror of the unusual as you imagine. In the natural sequence of things he would marry the woman he loved and let the widow and her proper mourning go to the bowwows. It is only the weak that fear criticism."

"Most men are weak," Daisy murmured, abstractedly. With a scarcely perceptible movement she turned on a tiny gas jet at her elbow, lit a cigarette, turned off the flame, and fell to smoking a quiet continuity of cigarettes that betokened abstraction, certainly, but in no wise hinted at impatience, disappointment or disdain. Her poise provoked Madison. There was enough Adam in him to resent apparent comfort in others when he was himself uncomfortable. He pushed the literary litter about with impatient fingers and cut into the peace of her sixth cigarette with wantonly displayed disgust:

"Do you believe that smoking is good for a woman?"

Daisy shook her bent head: "I have no cigarette creed." She drew the seventh deeply and asked courteously: "Why, are any of your friends thinking of adopting the practice?"

"They would not be my friends very long if they did."

And still her great patience rested unshaken in its depth and against its quietude Madison saw grow, with slow shame, the size of his uncalled-for cut. He got up, thrust his hands into his trousers pockets and went whistling around her typewriter with its loaded copy holder, the work his entrance had interrupted.

"What have you got on to-day?" he asked, genially.

She replied promptly and pleasantly: "Nothing of any consequence."

At this reply he turned toward her surprised. Heretofore she had ever been eager to talk to him about her work or his. And he had enjoyed these talks not a little, rather proud of the comprehension that enabled him to cover her skips and understand where most men would have been utterly at fault. Had enjoyed this next to the ready sympathy that comforted all his bothers. So he looked at her carefully as she lay back in her swivel chair, her hands inert upon the arms of it, a cigarette drooping from one corner of her well-made mouth, the serenity of her brow, the fire of her soul-lit eyes, the grim courage of her chin, and asked kindly: "Tired?"

Daisy roused instantly. "Why, did you want anything?"

Madison was too inured to the doctrine that a woman should always be ready to serve a man's purpose to notice the unconscious sarcasm of her response. Besides, he did want something. It had occurred to him many times that it would be well for his work and well for him if Daisy Dunbar should come to be a counterpart of his life, a hand-maiden to keep trimmed and tended the lamps of his genius. But while he craved her comprehension he shrank from the thought of marrying a woman who made such scant sacrifices to the gods of his temples. He shuddered at the thought of introducing as his wife a woman he could not control. A woman who would say what she saw fit to say, and do what she saw fit to do, whether the powers that be approved or disapproved. Hitherto he had counted Daisy Dunbar a hard-headed woman. But her present patience under the first reproof he had ever administered quickened Madison to sweeter dreams. If she loved him she would be eager to bow her high head beneath his caressing hand; to forego her cigarettes for the deep kisses of a man's great love; to yield her splendid spirit to his moulding. He would be ever so patient and gentle, he promised himself in a glow of tenderness. He would make submission sweet to her. He would condone her bad breaks and forgive them. He would not expect her to change instantly from the untamed thing to the tamed. But he would teach her—ah, how tenderly. A pleasant moisture welled to his lids. His lips trembled. He took his hands nervously from his trouser pockets and turned to her. She was still absorbed in that study of green and blue, and the tenth hung half-forgotten from her fingers.

"What are you thinking of?" he asked, tenderly.

"Of the deep joys of moving."

"Moving! You are not going to move?"

Daisy bethought herself of the cigarette and coaxed it gently. "Aye," she said through the smoke, "I move out to-morrow."

"But Daisy, you mustn't do that."

"Excuse me, Mr. Madison, but when did I give you the right to my first name?"

"Won't you give me the right to your first name if I give you the right to my last one? Won't that be a fair trade? Dear, did it never occur to you that you and I were made for each other?"

"Why, yes. In a way, we are."

"Don't you think we would be very happy if we belonged to one another?"

"Do you think it would be pleasant to belong to somebody else?"

"I think it would be very pleasant to belong to you, dear."

"Do you? Do you know what 'belonging' means? To be bridled and bitted, to come at a call and go at a touch. If you belonged to me I should require you to do as I did; to accept my judgments and bow to my decisions. Do you think that would be so pleasant?"

"But, dear, I used the term in a deeper, more sacred sense."

"Rather, you used it in a more feminine sense, I fancy. It was I that was to do most of the belonging, wasn't it?" She got up, negligently dusting the ashes from her long tie and smiling at him in good-natured amusement. Too strong for bitterness; too fearless for falsity; her words came quiet to gentleness: "Well, dear sir, the chances are that 24—or even one hour ago, I should have been glad and proud to do the belonging—I've dreamed my dream and fed my soul on things that seemed,' for quite an infatuated while. Luckily your wanton insult waked me from my dreaming; and albeit the waking was rather rude, I thank you for it in that it was so timely. So I fancy now, that I will, as I said, move out to-morrow—hereafter pin my faith to the things that are."

Madison forgot how he was to teach her in all tenderness and with great gentleness. His voice rang rude with impatience:

"But, Daisy—"

"Miss Dunbar, you mean?"

Whereupon Madison whirled upon his heel and went out, slamming the door after the senseless, explosive manner of men. "If she was so dead set on the things that are she might have them on broken hinges for all he cared."

But he never knew that it was indeed thus she had them. That because of his weak indulgence in a silly spleen a strong woman's life swung ill-hung through all the incomings and outgoings of her after years.

### Much Worse Then.

The British museum has a love letter addressed to an Egyptian princess and inscribed on a brick. The Ohio State Journal remarks that it must have been even worse in those days for a married man to have his old love letters thrown up at him.


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## Russo-Japanese War Telegrams

### MEETS WITH APPROVAL.

Mukden, Oct. 27.—The appointment of Gen. Kuropatkin as commander-in-chief was received with universal approval. It will greatly facilitate the military operations. A Japanese attack is expected shortly. Otherwise all is quiet. The Japanese dead recently found showed by their warm clothing that the Japanese are prepared for a winter campaign, whereas the Russians have not received their winter outfits.

### JAPANESE FORTIFYING.

Mukden, Oct. 28.—There was a reconnaissance in force Wednesday night by the Russian western flank, and desultory firing continued till 2 a. m. The Japanese were discovered to be hurriedly fortifying along the whole line, but this does not, of course, preclude the possibility of an attack by them. It is the general opinion here that serious events will not develop for some days, but judging by the hurried manner in which the Chinese are settling their money affairs in Mukden, they are of a different opinion.

Every precaution has been taken by the Russians to deal generously with Chinese who have suffered through the fighting in their territory. Not only has a special commission been created for the purpose of paying for all food and forage seized, but compensation is awarded for houses in villages destroyed.

### A GLOOMY OUTLOOK.

Shanghai, Oct. 29.—A private letter from Port Arthur dated October 21 received here yesterday says:

"Gen. Stoessel wired the Russian emperor recently: 'I now bid you good-bye forever. Port Arthur is my grave.'

"The Japanese shells are inflicting great damage to the Russian fleet in the harbor and to the fortifications. The arsenal with its contents of ammunition and small arms has been destroyed and preparations are being made for the last deadly struggle at close quarters. The water supply having been cut off, wells are being sunk. Provisions are scarce. Only tinned meats being left the soldiers hold gala feasts on horses killed by the shells.

"The field and naval hospitals are crowded and hygienic conditions are becoming desperate. The bombardment at times is so incessant that it is impossible to bury the dead to any depth. Over half of the original garrison is dead, wounded or sick.

"The besiegers are pressing closer daily and it is hard to say how long we can hold out. When the end comes there will be a desperate fight and surprise. Thousands of the enemy will perish, as everything is mined."

Tokio, Oct. 29.—It is reported that the Japanese opened a desperate attack on the eastern forts of the Keekwan group, north of Port Arthur, during the morning of October 26 and silenced the Russian batteries.

Simultaneously the Japanese attacked the forts on Rihlung mountain and Sungaohowian mountain, silenced the Russian batteries and stormed and occupied the forts in front of these mountains.

On the night of October 26 there was a conflagration in old Port Arthur and on October 27 a shell hit the Russian battleship Sevastopol and two Russian steamers were sunk.

The main Russian and Japanese forces which confront each other south of Mukden have not yet become engaged, although small affairs continue.

### NO DANGER OF WAR NOW.

Court of Inquiry Will Decide the Anglo-Russian Controversy.

London, Oct. 29.—All danger of war between Russia and Great Britain has been averted and the settlement of the only points in dispute regarding the attack by the Russian second Pacific squadron on British trawlers, October 21, has been referred to an international commission under The Hague convention.

Premier Balfour, speaking at Southampton last night, broke that silence which had brought the people of the United Kingdom to a condition of almost desperate irritation and given rise to misconceptions which Mr. Balfour himself exposed.

"The Russian ambassador," said Mr. Balfour, "has authorized a statement to the following effect: The Russian government on hearing of the North Sea incident at once expressed its profound regret and also promised most liberal compensation. The government has ordered the detention at Vigo of that part of the fleet which was concerned in the incident, in order that the naval authorities might ascertain what officers were responsible for it; that those officers and any material witnesses would not proceed on the voyage to the far east; that inquiry would be instituted into the facts by an international commission as provided by The Hague convention.

That, Mr. Balfour said, had nothing to do with arbitration; it was the constitution of the international commission in order to find out the facts.

### Parker's First Prediction.

Esopus, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Judge Parker yesterday made his first prediction as to the outcome of the election. In his speech to delegations composed largely of farmers from Orange and Rockland counties, New York, he interpolated the following: "Before taking up the subject I wish to discuss, I want to assure you that if we work hard enough, if we each do our part, we can win this fight. I have not felt like saying so until lately, but we are growing so rapidly that if our people do their best I do believe victory will be ours."


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## LEVELERS

### The Mission of Whiskey, Tobacco and Coffee.

The Creator made all things, we believe.

If so, He must have made these.

We know what He made food and water for, and air and sunshine, but why Whiskey, Tobacco and Coffee?

They are here sure enough and each performing its work.

There must be some great plan behind it all; the thoughtful man seeks to understand something of that plan and thereby to judge these articles for their true worth.

Let us not say "bad" or "good" without taking testimony.

There are times and conditions when it certainly seems to the casual observer that these stimulant narcotics are real blessings.

Right there is the ambush that conceals a "killing" enemy.

One can slip into the habit of either whiskey, tobacco or coffee easy enough, but to "untangle" is often a fearful struggle.

It seems plain that there are circumstances when the narcotic effect of these poisons is for the moment beneficial, but the fearful argument against them is that seldom ever does one find a steady user of either whiskey, coffee or tobacco free from disease of some kind.

Certainly powerful elements in their effect on the human race.

It is a matter of daily history testified to by literally millions of people that Whiskey, Tobacco and Coffee are smiling, promising, beguiling friends on the start, but always false as hell itself in the end. Once they get firm hold enough to show their strength, they insist upon governing and drive the victim steadily towards ill health in some form; if permitted to continue to rule, they will not let up until physical and mental ruin sets in.

A man under that spell (and "under the spell" is correct) of any one of these drugs frequently assures himself and his friends: "Why, I can leave off any time I want to. I did quit for a week just to show I could." It is a sure mark of the slave when one gets to that stage. He wiggled through a week fighting every day to break the spell, was finally whipped and began his slavery all over again.

The slave (Coffee slave as well as Tobacco and Whiskey) daily reviews his condition, sees perfectly plain the steady encroachments of disease, how the nerves get weaker day by day and demand the drug that seems to smile and offer relief for a few minutes and then leave the diseased condition plainer to view than ever and growing worse. Many times the Coffee slave realizes that he is between two fires. He feels bad if he leaves off and a little worse if he drinks and allows the effect to wear off.

So it goes on from day to day. Every night the struggling victim promises himself that he will break the habit and next day when he feels a little bad (as he is quite sure to) breaks, not the habit, but his own resolution. It is nearly always a tough fight, with disaster ahead sure if the habit wins.

There have been hundreds of thousands of people driven to their graves through disease brought on by coffee drinking alone, and it is quite certain that more human misery is caused by coffee and tobacco than by whiskey, for the two first are more widely used, and more hidden and insidious in the effect on nerves, heart and other vital organs, and are thus unsuspected until much of the dangerous work is done.

Now, Reader, what is your opinion as to the real use the Creator has for these things? Take a look at the question from this point of view.

There is a law of Nature and of Nature's God that things slowly evolve from lower planes to higher, a sturdy, steady and dignified advance toward more perfect things in both the Physical and Spiritual world. The ponderous tread of evolutionary development is fixed by the Infinite and will not be quickened out of natural law by any of man's methods.

Therefore we see many illustrations showing how nature checks too rapid advance. Illinois raises phenomenal crops of corn for two or three years. If she continued to do so every year her farmers would advance in wealth far beyond those of other sections or countries. So Nature interposes a bar every three or four years and brings on a "bad year."

Here we see the leveling influence at work.

A man is prosperous in his business for a number of years and grows rich. Then Nature sets the "leveling influence" at work on him. Some of his investments lose, he becomes luxurious and lazy. Perhaps it is whiskey, tobacco, coffee, women, gambling, or some other form. The intent and purpose is to level him. Keep him from evolving too far ahead of the masses.

A nation becomes prosperous and great like ancient Rome. If no leveling influence set in she would dominate the world perhaps for all time. But Dame Nature sets her army of "levelers" at work. Luxury, over-eating and drinking, licentiousness, waste and extravagance, indulgences of all kinds, then comes the wreck. Sure, Sure, Sure.

The law of the unit is the law of the mass. Man goes through the same process. Weakness (in childhood), gradual growth of strength, energy, thrift, probity, prosperity, wealth, comfort, ease, relaxation, self-indulgence, luxury, idleness, waste, debauchery, disease, and the wreck follows. The "levelers" are in the bushes along the pathway of every successful man and woman and they bag the majority.

Only now and then can a man stand out against these "levelers" and hold his fortune, fame and health to the end.

So the Creator has use for Whiskey, Tobacco and Coffee to level down the successful ones and those who show signs of being successful, and keep them back in the race, so that the great "field" (the masses) may not be left too far behind.

And yet we must admit that same all wise Creator has placed it in the power of man to stand upright, clothed in the armor of a clean cut steady mind and say unto himself, "I decline to exchange my birthright for a mess of potage."

"I will not deaden my senses, weaken my grip on affairs and keep myself cheap, common and behind in fortune and fame by drugging with whiskey, tobacco or coffee, life is too short. It is hard enough to win the good things, without any sort of handicap, so a man is certainly a 'fool trader' when he trades strength, health, money, and the good things that come with power, for the half-asleep condition of the 'drugger' with the certainty of sickness and disease ahead."

It is a matter each individual must decide for himself. He can be a leader and semi-god if he will, or he can go along through life a drugged clown, a cheap "hewer of wood or carrier of water."

Certain it is that while the Great Father of us all does not seem to "mind" if some of his children are foolish and stupid, he seems to select others (perhaps those he intends for some special work) and allows them to be threshed and castigated most fearfully by these "levelers."

If a man tries flirting with these levelers awhile, and gets a few slaps as a hint, he had better take the hint or a good solid blow will follow.

When a man tries to live upright, clean, thrifty, sober, and undrugged, manifesting as near as he knows what the Creator intends he should, happiness, health and peace seem to come to him. Does it pay?

This article was written to set people thinking, to rouse the "God within" for every highly organized man and woman has times when they feel a something calling from within for them to press to the front and "be about the Father's business," don't mistake it; the spark of the Infinite is there and it pays in every way, health, happiness, peace, and even worldly prosperity, to break off the habits and strip clean for the work cut out for us.

It has been the business of the writer to provide a practical and easy way for people to break away from the coffee habit and be assured of a return to health and all of the good things that brings, provided the abuse has not gone too far, and even then the cases where the body has been rebuilt on a basis of strength and health run into the thousands.

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## TALKS WITHOUT TONGUE.

### Robbed of Organ by Surgical Operation, New Jersey Man Articulates Better Than Before.

Tongueless, yet able to talk better than when in possession of his organ of speech—that is the remarkable condition of William Bunting, a wealthy bachelor of Elmer, N. J., who received treatment recently in Philadelphia.

Mr. Bunting came to the Hahnemann hospital to have his throat treated for what he believed to be inflammation, caused by a severe cold. Upon investigation the doctors found the disease to be much more serious than the patient had suspected, and that in order to save his life his tongue must be removed. It was swollen to twice its normal size, so that Mr. Bunting was unable to articulate plainly.

After the operation the first words the patient spoke, "Is it all over?" were the plainest he had spoken since his trouble began, several years ago. Those in attendance were able to understand everything he said.

### Wrong Department.

A prominent physician tells this story at the expense of the modern craze for specialization in the medical profession. A poor woman went to a dispensary to ask for aid for her little son, who had had one of his fingers smashed. At the first room where she applied she was told by a curt attendant that the boy could not be treated there.

"Wrong place," he explained, "this is the eye and ear department."

"Vere is der thumb and finger department?" inquired the woman, simply.—Tit-Bits.

### Where the Sin Lay.

A rather plain lady asked the opinion of her minister:

"Is it a sin to feel a trifle of vanity when I am called handsome by a gentleman?"

"Not a sin for you, my child, but a terrible responsibility hangs upon the gentleman."—Tit-Bits.

### Not Too Fast.

Mrs. Weeds—I suppose the law in this state gives the widow her third.

Lawyer—Oh! yes; but you've got to get rid of your second first.—Chicago Journal.

## TERRIFIC EXPLOSION IN A MINE

### TERCIO, COL., THE SCENE OF THE DISASTER.

### Exact Number of Men Killed Is Not Known, but It Is Believed that at Least 30 and Maybe 60 Lives Were Lost.

Trinidad, Col., Oct. 29.—From 30 to 60 men lost their lives in a terrific explision which occurred at mine No. 3 of the Rocky Mountain Fuel Co. at Tercio, 40 miles west of Trinidad, Friday afternoon. The exact number of dead may never be known, as the mine is burning and in all likelihood the bodies will be consumed. A large number of mine officials left here as soon as word of the accident was received Company doctors were picked up all along the line, as well as all other available physicians. F. J. Foreman, a government stock inspector, was at Tercio when the explosion occurred. He returned here last night and gave the following account of the affair:

"I was standing not more than 300 yards from the mouth of the tunnel when the explosion occurred. The explosion was preceded by a low rumbling sound, resembling an earthquake, which made the earth tremble and startled the whole camp.

"I looked toward the mine and out of the mouth of the tunnel and two air shafts came a great volume of smoke and dust, which continued for nearly a minute. Out of the two air shafts, each of which are seven feet in diameter, timbers fully three feet in diameter were shot into the air and broken into splinters. Rocks were thrown over the camp for a distance of a quarter of a mile. In fact, it rained rocks, broken timbers and all kinds of debris for fully a minute and many people were injured by being struck with these missiles.

"The explosion, which resembled a volcanic eruption, caused the wildest excitement. Men, women and children rushed to the mouth of the tunnel, and women whose husbands were in the mine had to be brought away by miners to prevent their being killed by the fumes coming from the mouth of the tunnel."

The mine in which the explosion occurred employed 80 men and it is believed that at least 60 were in the mine at the time. News of the explosion brought assistance from the adjacent camps and last night hundreds of men were trying to enter the mine. Deadly fumes overcame the rescuers frequently, but their places immediately were taken by others ready to risk their lives. It was not thought possible that any one in the mine could escape death.

Nearly all the miners employed are Slavs. The mine was opened only a year ago and extended 2,000 feet into the hill. The explosion is supposed to have been caused by dust. But one body has been recovered, that of T. Duran, a driver who was just entering the tunnel when the explosion occurred. He was torn and bruised almost beyond recognition. All the mines within a radius of 20 miles have been shut down and the miners are on the way to assist in the rescue of the bodies.

## DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

### Manufacturing Plants are Making Steady Gains, Particularly in the Leading Industries.

New York, Oct. 29.—R. G. Dun's Weekly Review of Trade says:

Mild weather early in the week checked the distribution of seasonable goods, but had a permanent value in facilitating the harvesting of cotton and late grain. Subsequently the temperature fell, restoring retail trade in wearing apparel, fuel and similar products to greater activity than was experienced a year ago. Building operations are active, strengthening the markets for lumber and materials.

Manufacturing plants are making steady gains, particularly in the leading industries, and it is significant that reluctance to do business has shifted from the buyers to sellers, eliminating largely the concessions in prices that prevented stability. Labor is unusually well employed, judging by the official compilation of the unions. Railway freight blockades cause some complaint, which is remarkable in view of the restricted grain movement, and earnings in the three weeks of October were 9.2 per cent. larger than in 1903.

In the iron and steel industry new cars and ships are requiring very large tonnage of plates, and practically every department except steel rails has aroused from the dull condition so long prevalent. Improvement is emphasized by the large orders for pig iron.

Failures this week numbered 233 in the United States, against 253 last year, and 28 in Canada, compared with 15 a year ago.

### Almshouse Is a Fire Trap.

New York, Oct. 29.—The Kings county grand jury yesterday condemned Raymond street jail and the Kings county almshouse in its presentment to Judge Aspinall, of the county court in Brooklyn. The almshouse, in which are 1,200 old men and women, was declared to be a fire trap. The jail was described as a dungeon.

### Mother and Son Asphyxiated.

Pittsburg, Oct. 29.—What was first thought to be a double suicide of mother and son is now believed to have been the result of asphyxiation. When Anthony Dix returned home from his work yesterday he found the bodies of his wife and son in the son's room which adjoins the kitchen. The kitchen stove was throwing out foul gas and it is believed the mother when she found herself becoming affected by the fumes went to the boy's room to arouse him, but succumbed to the poisoned air before either could escape.

### Business Announcement.

Among the oddities in the smoke room of Clyde Fitch's country house at North Coscob there is a notice of the dissolution of a partnership between two colored barbers. The notice, three feet square, is written in red ink on yellow paper. It occupies a corner between two crossed canoe paddles, and it reads:

"de Dissolution of co-parsnips heretofo resisting Betwix Me and moze Jones in de barber profession an heretofo disolved. pussons Who O must pay to de subscriber. Dem what de firm Os must call on Jones, as de firm is insolved."—N. Y. Sun.

### Why He Studies Law.

Wall Street—So your son is studying law. Do you expect that he will stick to it?

Speculator—Oh, no; I just want him to know enough about it so that he will be able to evade it successfully.—Detroit Free Press.

### Six Doctors Failed.

South Bend, Ind., Oct. 24 (Special).—After suffering from Kidney Disease for three years; after taking treatment from six different doctors without getting relief, Mr. J. O. Laudeman, of this place, found not only relief but a speedy and complete cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills. Speaking of his cure, Mr. Laudeman says:

"Yes, I suffered from Kidney Trouble for three years and tried six doctors to no good. Then I took just two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they not only cured my kidneys, but gave me better health in general. Of course I recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills to others and I know a number now who are using them with good results."

Mr. Laudeman's case is not an exception. Thousands give similar experiences. For there never yet was a case of Kidney Trouble from Backache to Bright's Disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills could not cure. They are the only remedy that ever cured Bright's Disease.

"Some of your opponents, Colonel, are accusing you of putting money into politics," said the plain citizen. "Well, some of the others have been accusing me of taking money out of it," replied the colonel. "so things are about even up."—Philadelphia Press.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Brien, 322 Third Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

The Chiropodists' society, of Chicago, has been incorporated. Hooray for the corn crop!—Chicago Journal.

A full-grown elephant can carry three tons on its back.

Being eloquently silent is a gift beyond the reach of art.—Bovee.

He makes little out of life who is always on the make.—Chicago Tribune.

A slender income is said to be an excellent remedy for obesity.—Chicago Daily News.

Life isn't a dream to the man with the silver dollars in his pocket—it's a jingling reality!—Atlanta Constitution.

Boiled microbes may not be any more palatable than raw ones, but they are not half so dangerous to the average human being.—Chicago Chronicle.

At the entrance of a little provincial restaurant on which the sun pours down there has been this sign all summer: "On hot days the veranda is inside."—Le Figaro.

Face patches are coming into style again. This is mighty good news at a time when almost any of us are liable to get into a political discussion.—Indianapolis News.

"I'm so glad the boys of your company gave you that handsome revolver," said the militia's captain's wife. "We need have no fear now of the burglars infesting this neighborhood." "That's what!" replied the gallant captain. "I've got it locked up in the office safe where they can't get at it."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

### The Chauffeur's Idea.

"What," asked the license board of the chauffeur, "is a pedestrian?"

"I have never see one altogezzer, monsieur," said the chauffeur, "but ze pieces, zey look like he was somezing alive before we hit him."—St. Paul Globe.

### Confirming an Old Theory.

"A lot o' people was killed in New York from drinkin' wood alcohol," said Bronco Bob, who gets the only paper that comes to Crimson Gulch.

"Well," answered Three-Finger Sam, "it's terrible to think of what weak stomachs us Americans have. I guess those scientific sharps are right when they say we are getting to be a nation of dyspeptics."—Washington Star.

Miss Nettie Blackmore, Minneapolis, tells how any young woman may be permanently cured of monthly pains by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"YOUNG WOMEN:—I had frequent headaches of a severe nature, dark spots before my eyes, and at my menstrual periods I suffered untold agony. A member of the lodge advised me to try **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** but I only scorned good advice and felt that my case was hopeless, but she kept at me until I bought a bottle and started taking it. I soon had the best reason in the world to change my opinion of the medicine, as each day my health improved, and finally I was entirely without pain at my menstruation periods. I am most grateful."—NETTIE BLACKMORE, 28 Central Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

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If there is anything about your case about which you would like special advice, write freely to Mrs. Pinkham. She will treat your letter as strictly confidential. She can surely help you, for no person in America can speak from a wider experience in treating female ills. She has helped hundreds of thousands of women back to health. Her address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice is free. You are very foolish if you do not accept her kind invitation.

**Details of Another Case.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Ignorance and carelessness is the cause of most of the sufferings of women. I believe that if we properly understood the laws of health we would all be well, but if the sick women only knew the truth about **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** they would be saved much suffering and would soon be cured.

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"**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** cured me completely, and I am now enjoying the best of health, and am most grateful, and only too pleased to endorse such a great remedy."—MISS JENNIE L. EDWARDS, 604 H St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

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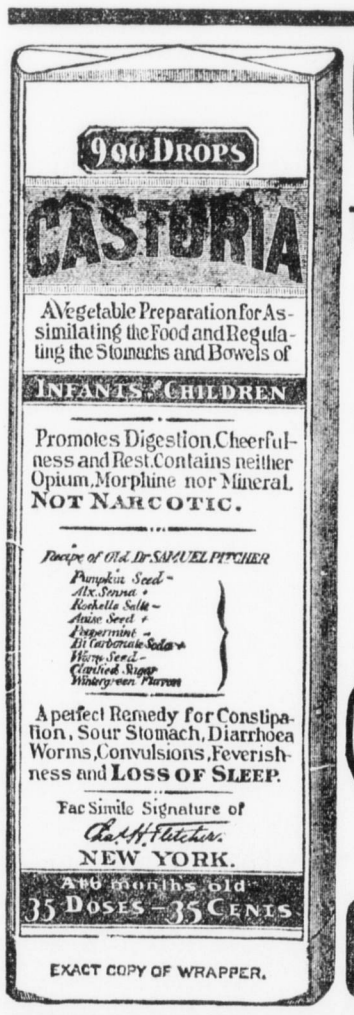
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# AUDITORS' REPORT.

## OF SHIPPEN SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR 1903 AND 1904.

GILL LEAVITT, Treasurer in account with the School District of the Township of Shippen.

SCHOOL FUND.

| | |
|---|---|
| To amount received from Ex-Treasurer | $ 461 83 |
| To amt rec'd from State Appropriation | 1,816 43 |
| To amt rec'd from P. S. Culver, Coll... | 1,232 44 |
| To amt rec'd from County Treasurer... | 2,148 36 |
| To amt rec'd from damage to Bldgs..... | 5 05 |
| To amt rec'd from Bank Notes ..... | 1,698 25 |
| To amt rec'd from Elk county, tuition.. | 26 00 |
| | $7,298 36 |

CREDIT.

| | |
|---|---|
| By amount of orders paid..... ..... | $7,105 10 |
| By commission..... ..... | 142 10 |
| | $7,247 20 |
| Balance due fund ..... | 51 16 |

RECAPITULATION.

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| Total receipts..... | $7,298 36 |
| Total expenditures..... | 7,247 20 |
| Cash on hand .... ..... | $51 16 |

ASSETS.

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|---|---|
| Cash on hand..... | $51 16 |
| Due from P. S. Culver, 1900 Duplicate.. | 20 00 |
| Due from P. S. Culver, 1902 Duplicate.. | 708 77 |
| Due from P. S. Culver, 1903 Duplicate.. | 737 48 |
| | $1,517 11 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|
| Due First National Bank ..... | $1,000 00 |

GILL LEAVITT, Treasurer, in account with the School District of Shippen Township.

SCHOOL BOND FUND.

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|---|---|
| To balance from last audit ..... | $1,386 72 |
| To amt received from P. S. Culver, Coll. | 159 02 |
| To amt received from County Treasurer | 495 75 |
| | $2,041 49 |

CREDIT.

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|---|---|
| By 70 coupons paid..... ..... | $175 00 |
| By 35 coupons paid ..... ..... | 87 50 |
| By bonds No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, ..... | 800 00 |
| By bonds No. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, ..... | 600 00 |
| By bond No. 15 ..... ..... | 100 00 |
| By 2 per cent. commission..... ..... | 30 00 |
| | $1,792 50 |
| Balance due fund, ..... | $248 99 |

RECAPITULATION.

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|---|---|
| Total receipts,..... ..... | $2,041 49 |
| Total expenditures..... ..... | 1,792 50 |

GILL LEAVITT, Treasurer, in account with the School District of Shippen Township.

SCHOOL BUILDING FUND.

| | |
|---|---|
| To amt received from P. S. Culver, Coll | $280 25 |
| To amt received from Co. Treasurer... | 826 48 |
| | $1,006 83 |

CREDIT.

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|---|---|
| Balance due ex-Treasurer..... | $160 35 |
| By orders paid..... ..... ..... | 291 84 |
| By 2 per cent. commission on $291.84... | 5 83 |
| | $458 02 |
| Balance due fund..... ..... | 648 65 |

ASSETS.

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|---|---|
| Cash on hand..... | $448 65 |
| Due from P. S. Culver, Coll. 1895-96-97.. | 998 23 |
| Due from L. Lockwood, Coll. 1898 ..... | 91 64 |
| Due from P. S. Culver, Coll. 1902-3. ..... | 263 62 |
| Due from County Treasurer..... | 55 00 |
| | $2,057 14 |

LIABILITIES—None.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the township of Shippen, hereby certify that we have examined, audited, adjusted and settled the foregoing accounts of Gill Leavitt, Treasurer of the School District of the township of Shippen and the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the same.

Witness our hands this 28th day of October, A. D., 1904.

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He learned tn play when he was young;
But all the tune that he could play
Was "Vindicate Blumle on election day."

Mr. Blumle did not want to run,
He said with politics he was done,
But this piper had to have his sao,
"Vindicate Blumle on election day."

He with his pipe made such a noise,
That he displeased both girls and boys,
And no one stopped to hear him play
"Vindicate Blumle on election day."

Election day is drawing near,
And from the people we shall hear;
The voters their own tune will play,
"Vindicate Blumle some other day."

### The Art Exhibit For the Schools.

Nov. 9-12, from 9 to 11:30 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m. Press Notices:

The collection of photographs and photogravures of famous paintings now on exhibition in the High School is considered the best ever presented in St. Louis.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

There is history, poetry, nature, religion, and all that is lovely in life is represented by the masters of old and modern times.—Detroit Journal.

The following committees are now at work and ask the support of the public:

Committee on Sale of Tickets:—Teachers and pupils of the schools. These business places also have tickets on sale, Taggart's Drug Store and H. C. Olmstead's. The season tickets at 25 and 50 cents give to the holder admittance during every session.

Committee on Raising Subscription:—Mrs. H. C. Olmstead, chairman, C. E. Crandell, treasurer, L. K. Huntington, Josiah Howard, Rev. L. B. Twichell, M. M. Larrabee, Rev. J. M. Robertson, Rev. R. McCaslin. Contributions to the funds are desired and may be handed to C. E. Crandel at the bank. The admission fee is so small that it is hoped many will subscribe to this fund.

Committee on Taking Orders for Pictures:—Mrs. William Howard, chairman, Mrs. F. C. Moore, Mrs. McNarney, Mrs. Huntington, Mrs. Rieck, Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. Green, Miss Leet, Miss Ludlam, Miss Collins, Mrs. Balcom, Mrs. Elizabeth Howard, Mrs. H. S. Lloyd, Mrs. Josiah Howard. This committee will take orders from any one desiring to order for home decoration duplicates of the pictures in the exhibit. On these orders the schools will realize a commission.

Committee on Entertainment:—Mrs. Beers, chairman, Mrs. Geo. Metzger Jr., Miss Taggart, Miss Walker, Miss Abbie Metzger, Miss McQuay, Miss Ritchie, Miss Heilman, Mrs. Shafer, Mrs. Shafer, Mrs. Charles Seger, Mrs. Charles Felt, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. I. K. Hockley, Mrs. Diehl, Miss Lingle, Miss Logan. This committee will furnish entertainment for the evening sessions.

Committee on Hanging and Arrangements:—Mrs. VanGelder, chairman, Miss Larrnbee, Miss McCaslin, Clifton Larrabee, Fred Heilman, Miss Wiley, Mrs. VanWert, Mrs. Hackenberg, Miss Will Bair, Mrs. Auchu, Mrs. Walter Thompson, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. R. Seger, Mrs. N. Seger, Mrs. LaBar, Mrs. Harvey Welsh, Mrs. J. T. Smith, Mrs. Blumle, Miss Ling, Miss Cummings, Miss Bair, Miss Cleary, Miss Montgomery, Mrs. Coppersmith, Mrs. McQuay, Mrs. Egan, Mrs. Ling, Miss Horton, Miss McCormick, Miss Rumsey, Miss Bryan, Miss Hogan, Miss Sara McDonald, Mrs. Strayer, Mrs. Heilman, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Overturf, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Goodnough, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Jordan, Mrs. Geo. Metzger, Sr., Mrs. Rentz, Mrs. Jee Fisher, Miss Lena Evans, Miss Thomas, Mrs. T. B. Lloyd, Mrs. Julian,

This committee will meet at the old Presbyterian Church Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock for the purpose of making arrangements. It is desired that as many as possible of the persons named will attend if possible.

### New Baptist Parsonage.

The Baptist congregation of Emporium have purchased the Specht property on West Fourth street, to be used as a Parsonage. It is a desirable location and will make a pleasant htme. Rev. Twichell's household goods are now on the way and the Reverend gentleman left oy early Monday morning train for New York to bring back his wife and family, who are visiting in the east. They will soon be settled in their pleasant home.

### Lecture, Subject "My Boy and I."

This popular lecture will be given under the auspicies of the "Christian Endeavour Society" for the benefit of the church on Monday night, Nov. 7th, 1904, at 8 o'clock, p. m., in the new Presbyterian Church by Prof. C. P. Bastain former Principal of our public schools here, now pastor of the Lutheran church at Littletown, Pa. Come and give our old friend a warm greeting and you will be entertained. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

### Practical Mining Engineer.

Mr. J. D. Pultz, of New York City, a practical Mining Engineer, has associated himself with Emporium Furnace Company as Manager of the Mining Department. Extensive improvements may now be looked for and an increased output of coal and coke. Mr. Brady is pushing the business for all there is in it. This great industry, with the modern furnace, coal mines, and coke ovens are now employing a large number of workmen.

### Sneak Thieves.

Mrs. Elizabeth Howard's cellar was entered a few nights ago and a large quantity of canned goods, including her season's preserving, was stolen.

### Emmanuel Church.

Holy Communion at the mid-day service (10:30) a. m., next Sunday, November 7th.

### Notice.

The ladies of Silver Star Hive, No. 17, will serve oysters in Brooks' Hall, Sterling Run, on election day. Dinner and supper. Everybody welcome.

Have you read that very interesting magazine, *The Smart Set?*

# MUST WORK TO WIN

## Apathy Would Dim Pennsylvania's Glory In Next Tuesday's Election.

## REPUBLICANS HAVE A DUTY

## They Must Get Every Vote Possible to the Polls to Keep Up Their Record.

[Special Correspondence.]

Harrisburg, Nov. 1.

If the good work which was begun weeks ago by the active Republicans of Pennsylvania shall be kept up until the polls are closed on Tuesday next, the prediction made by State Chairman Penrose some time ago that the Keystone State will give Roosevelt the largest majority ever given a presidential candidate, will be surely fulfilled.

But the leaders of the Republican organization in ever county in the state have been impressed with the fact that to accomplish this result extraordinary efforts must be made during the remaining days of the campaign to get the voters interested in the election and to have them prepare not only to vote themselves but to get their neighbors to do likewise.

It should not be forgotten that the farmer who loans his wagon to haul voters to the polls does his party as great a service as does the manufacturer or the banker who signs a check to meet the campaign expenses of his party's organization.

The young Republican who will agree to spend the whole or part of election day at the polls assisting the committeemen in getting out the vote should be entitled to recognition from his party in the future. The men who should be rewarded by the party leaders, and this is to be the policy followed under the state leadership of Senator Penrose, are those who give their time and energies to promote the interests of the party and its candidates.

Abraham Lincoln once said that there was no more patriotic duty a young man could perform than to interest his neighbors in the discussion of great political questions, and to have their vote for the party which stands for progress and the advancement of all of the material interests of the country.

In the present campaign there has been a widespread interest shown by the young men in the candidacy of President Roosevelt, and in the success of Republican candidates generally, and it is predicted that at the election of Tuesday next there will be a demonstration of young men at every polling place in this state which will attest in the most practical manner possible the fact that the Republican party is the party for the young American voters in this campaign.

"STAY-AT-HOMERS" DANGEROUS.

It is known that the Republican "stay-at-homes" were responsible for the election of Cleveland on two occasions. A careful review of the election returns in each instance showed that had the Republicans been on the alert and got their voters to the polls, the Democratic candidate for president would have been defeated.

While, of course, everybody knows that Pennsylvania will go for Roosevelt by a large majority, and would do so without any campaigning on the part of the Republican committeemen, yet the majority would necessarily be a reduced one. A reduced Republican majority in this state this fall would be hailed with delight by the Democrats in every part of the country.

There is no certainty that the next national house of representatives will be Republican. Should a Democratic speaker of the house be elected, to be followed by the appointment of Democrats to all of the important places on the committees of congress, the interests of Pennsylvania would suffer irreparably. If on the top of this the Democrats could be able to point to a greatly reduced Republican majority in the Keystone state, due to indifference of Republicans, the consequences would be something terrible to contemplate.

The business and manufacturing interests of the state would be the first to suffer, and the wage earners would quickly feel the effect of Democratic ascendency, as they did when Cleveland was president.

Democratic free soup houses are not desired by the voters of Pennsylvania, and the best way to insure themselves against this evil is for the voters to go to the polls and vote the full Republican ticket by placing a cross mark in the square to the right of the word Republican, which is at the top of the first column on the left-hand side of the official ballot.

No citizen can be in doubt as to the policy that is to be followed by the Republican party for the next four years. There is a new era of prosperity about dawning upon the American republic. It is dawning with much of promise for the future because the people believe that there is no doubt about the election of Roosevelt.

The people do not know what the Democrats would do in the event of the election of Parker and a Democratic house of representatives. They do not believe Parker knows himself. Parker has made so many blunders since his nomination for the presidency that his fellow countrymen fear his election would throw the business interests into a panic.

Fortunately the drift of popular sentiment is so strongly against Parker that nothing but the most remarkable apathy on the part of Republicans could make his election possible.

### Letters From the People.

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fought for and won and gave to the American people to defend. And in no way will we consent to human authority to control or interfere with those rights of liberty of the American people.

What are those rights of liberty? They are on every side of us, but the most essential rights are those that give to the man good wages for his labor, that he can take to the support of his home that he loves so well.

Protection gives the prosperity that the common peope are enjoying today, and it is the main key to the door of the bright and happy homes of the American people.

Give the wage earner good wages, with plenty of work, and as he is returning to his home in the evening shades, by the light in the window he will know that his family are gathered around a bright and cheerful fire, with smiling faces and pleasant greetings to welcome him to his home love, peace and honor.

After his evening meal as the husband or father leans back in his easy chair, his thoughts will be "how thankful I am there is no wolf at the door of my home to-night. My family are well fed and well clothed; my children can attend school without the patches that they wore under the Wilson Bill, created by tariff for revenue only, or tariff reform, or reform tariff; I don't know how many reforms there are to it. Did it reform the people much, or did it teach them how to be saving and not to spend the money they could not earn?

Voters, do you want to take a chance on this Parker ticket, or do you think that a chance won't do much damage? There may be a great many that will think the same way, and when the chances are counted they will be for the Parker ticket. That says "Protection, (or high protective tariff, as they call it) is robbery." That it robs the many to enrich the few. I say protection reads right the other way. It may rob the few of their greed, but it will enrich the many who are the wage earners, and it makes no difference if you are a producer or a consumer.

The Democrats say that the manufacturers are selling steel rails at home for $28 00 per ton, abroad for $22.00 per ton. Do the wage earners buy steel rails, or who at home does? Do they not have to compete in the market where they ship, with foreign labor? Does not the price of those steel rails or any other products that are sold in the foreign markets come back home to the trade of the American people by the way of the wage earner? Is this not another proof that we should have protection.

Did Mr. Davis make his barrel of money in the State where they claim he did so much for the people under the Wilson Bill? Or was it under the protective tariff created by the Republican party? Did Mr. Davis rob the many to enrich the few? Mr. Davis has his barrel, he has no more use for protection; wishes something else.

Voters, if you, by the cross marks of your pencils on the 8th day of November next, cut the wage earners pay in two, the wolf will be at the door of his home, and in his defence he will take down his rusty hoe and it will grow bright in the soil of the land as he clears it of brush and reeds to raise those same products that to-day he is buying of the farmers. He will become a producer.

And to you, young man and wanderers together round the ballot box on the 8th day of November next, I would say "vote for those homes that you know by the cross marks of your pencil; from the head to the foot of the Roosevelt ticket, that gives protection to all wage earners."

The "Pittsburgh Post" states that Mr. Hill in one of his speeches said that the common people would do well to follow where Cleveland and Bryan led. Did not the common people follow where Cleveland led a few years ago? Did they do well? And did not the common people turn to the Republican party to help them out of their woes?, which they cheerfully did. Why should they not when the Republican party was made up out of the nation's woes?

To go back fifty years the voter must have courage and be "chuck" full of woes to vote the Fremont ticket. The Republican party has carried them on to Lincoln and on through years, till to day they rest on the broad shoulders of this man of great moral courage, Roosevelt, at the head of the Republiaan ticket; a soldier and leader of men and teacher of children.

They call him the rough rider. How quick he would leap into his saddle and with his ready blade defend the homes of the American people.

Voters, protection is your pay master; he makes out your pay roll. Are you going to vote for him by your cross marks in the Roosevelt ticket?

In closing I appeal to all Republicans to vote for Mr. Howard for Representative and Dr. Bardwell for County Treasurer. They represent the principles for which Roosevelt is fighting. When you vote against them you are repudiating by your action your confidence in Roosevelt.

Yours truly,

SMITH WHITMAN.

CAMERON, PA., Oct. 11th, 1904.

### First Methodist Episcopal Church.

The Rev. George W. Faus, of Sinnamahoning, will occupy the pulpit of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., and Rev. J. A. Sypher at 7 p. m. Other services as usual.

## Estray Notice.

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JOHN BAUER.

Emporium, Pa., Oct. 29, 1904.—3t.

## Charter Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made by Alexander McVittie, Charles B. Calder, William H. G. Walker, Eunice N. Walker, Alvin F. Knobloch and Fred H. Aldrich, to the Governor of Pennsylvania, on the seventh day of November, 1904, under the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, A. D., 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a Charter for an intended corporation, to be called THE CALDER BRICK AND COAL COMPANY, the character and object of which is the mining and manufacture of clay into brick tile and various other articles and products, produced from clay and from clay and other substances, mixed therewith, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto conferred.

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